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To John Phillips Esq.
at Killgetty near Tenby
Co. Wales.

London. 17. Aug. 1738.

Dear Sir. I rec'd yr. favour of the 5.
Inst. enclosing a letter from Capt. S^t. L. which I
immediately forwarded to Mr. Burchet ^{with a letter} of my own
setting forth his Merit and Services as you had
enabled me to represent them, for I could not
send yr. letter by reason of some expressions in
it. I pretend to no interest in Mr. Burchet
~~but am known to him and therefore I should have~~
~~waited on him in person, if I had thought that~~
~~would have done Capt. S^t. L. more service, for at~~
this juncture there is such a crowd of Petitioners
for Protections about the Admiralty, that I thought
a letter would do Capt. Saint L. more service and
might perhaps be laid before the Board. And if
any thing comes of the application he may expect
to hear of it before I shall. The Norfolk was I find
by the News Papers given to Capt. Graves the latter end of
July. My humble Service to yr. Lady and believe that
I am
S^r. Yr. most obed^t.

My humble Service to
Mr. Bulkeley Phillips, is it
true that I may with him
joy of being marry'd?

To the Rev^d W. A. Deac. Deane
at Rochester.

Bartlett's Buildings
19. Aug. 1738.

Rev^d Sir. I have just time to acknowledge the rec^t.
of yours of the 11. Inst. and to send you the Thanks of the
Society for yr. amendment to the draught of a letter to Mr.
Conful Cox es. The books you deliv^d are this day
sent by Postage's Coach Car. P. 9. d. at y^e Cross Keys Inn.
Mr. Pemberton sent a packet hither just after it was
gone wh^{ch} I suppose was design'd to be sent in it, but
it shall be sent next week by Rev^d Sir.

Yr. most humble
Serv^t.

H. N.

To the Rev^d. W. A. Deac. Deme²
at Rochester Rev^d. S^t.

Bartlett's Building,
29 Aug. 1738.

Several ^{received by the Royal Embassy} Letters were this day read from
^{& Correspond. members} the Missionaries at Fort S. George Fort S^t. David, & Tranquebar
by which ^{I am glad to acquaint you} ~~you have given a good~~

~~Account~~ of things are much mended since the Separation
of the Missionaries at Fort S^t. George. W. Schultze
^{Malabarian & Portuguese for instructing} has now 2 Schools of 60. Child^{ren} ^{under his care}
under the care of Catechists & Masters ^{Natives of &} ~~formed out of~~
educated in the Country. M^{rs}. Santorius & Geister
^{at Cudalore} are preparing to ~~begin~~ begin a School as soon
as the Rainy Season was over, and in the mean time
they both diligently apply themselves to learn the
Malabaric Language. The Missionaries at Tran-
quebar have bury'd one of their Colleagues W.

Presner so that they ^{one} again reduced to the ~~number~~
of six.

They have increased their Congregation
last year by an addition of 484. Souls of which 459.
were Heathen ^{Natives} mostly adult and they compute that of
all their Converts ^{to Christianity in Tranquebar & Neighbouring Princes} there are 2736. Souls
now living. All these letters are refer'd to the Com:

to be appointed for preparing answers to them before the
departure of the next ships, when I hope you will be
able to favour the Society with yr. assistance, as usual.

friend, here are well. W. Tillard gone for one week into
the Country but M^r. Vernon is returned & was here this
day. I am

Rev^d. S^t. W.

In 1736. the year before the Separation

12. Proselytes only were Christen'd at Madras.

In 1737. the year after the Separation 132. Proselytes were Christen'd by W. Schultze
most of which were Adult Persons, ~~and~~ of whom the names, ages & Profession
are transmitted.

The whole number Christen'd at Madras since 16. Aug. 1728. when the Mission began
are computed at 427.

To Rowland Cotton Esq.
at Etwal near Derby

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London. 31. Aug. 1738.

Dear Sir. The Bearer Mr. Jos. Maynard an Eminent
Merch^t of this City and worthy Member of the Society, ~~was~~ taking
a Journey into Derbysh. to settle some Affairs of his ^{own} ~~there~~. ~~For the~~
~~since~~ I cannot have the honour of introducing him in person to yo^r.
acquaintance in person, and therefore have taken the liberty to do it by this
line, as the only attempt I can make for not accepting yo^r. kind Invitation.
He will inform you better than I can of the State of Affairs here, and I
shall be glad to hear of your health, ~~by which~~ ^{by which} ~~by which~~ to whom I beg my most
humble Service may be acceptable from

My humble Service

I^r. yo^r. most humble Servant

to yo^r. Son & Daughters, ~~at~~

The Sea Officer I have not yet ~~seen~~ ^{seen} presuming the orders at
the Admiralty would not permit his stay in Town.

To the Rev^d. Mr. Chicheley
at Mr. Philipps', in St. Michael, Alley
Cornhill.

Bartlet's Building,
31. Aug. 1738.

Herewith you will receive a list of the
Books of which the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge
at the desire of Mr. Belcher pray yo^r. acceptance, not doubting
yo^r. making use of them in the Province where it has pleas'd
God to place them. If there are any of them ~~to~~ you
may hereafter find more usefull than other, please to signify
your wants & Mr. Belcher or I shall procure some way to
obtain them. I heartily wish you a good Voyage and
remain.

My humble Service to
Mr. Cotton who I understand
lives at Providence & has had
some of our Books formerly.

Rev^d. Sir

yo^r. most humble Serv^t
Henry Newman.

To S^r. Erasmus Philipps Bart^t
at Siena in Florence

Bartlet's Buildings
31. Aug. 1738.

Dear S^r. Erasmus

I receiv'd yo^r. favours of the 28th of July N.S.
from ~~at~~ Geneva and immediately forwarded ^{your letter} ~~the enclosed~~
to yo^r. Bro^r. John from whom I rec'd the enclosed
just before I rec'd yours and let him know that I would
forbear

(14) forbear sending it for a post or two to give him opportunity of sending an answer to you. By this ^{copy} ~~without any increase of~~ ^{to save} expense to you, but I have not ^{since} heard from him.

The Brewer has not been with me again. I am glad you have set yr. face towards Italy, & hope you will ^{find} a vast increase of health and pleasure by the Tour you propose, especially if you go the length of Naples. I hope you will let me partake a little of yr. pleasure in yr. letters, ^{a what agreeable fellow travellers we meet with?} those of the Society ^{are} always pleas'd to hear of yr. health and I am glad to tell you they are all well. ^{Mr. Vernon Mr. A. D. Deane} ^{Mr. Will and particularly} desir'd me to send their compliments to you, when I write again, and I beg you to believe that I am

By the way, lately dy'd at Bath. Dr. Sir
By the way, lately dy'd at Bath. Dr. Sir
S^r. Rob. W. is ill of a Pleuritic Fever
at Twickenham.

S^r. Jos. Jephyl dy'd at Bell Bar abt. 3 weeks ago
his Successor not yet nam'd. The attorney Gen. talk'd of.

To Ethel. Davy Esq.
at Exeter

London. 9. Sep^r. 1738.

The Rules of the Society requiring that when any Gent. is propos'd for a Subscribing or Corresponding Member that some Members ^{one or more} should certify his Character in the terms of which I have sent copies ^{herewith}, I am oblig'd to acquaint you that Mess^{rs}. Henry and Peregrine Courtenay ^{of Bowdlerham} and the Rev^d. Mr. Rob^t. Clute of the same place and Mr. Will^m. Pitfield apothecary, in Exeter having been propos'd for Subscribing Members, it is ^{requested} ~~desir'd~~ you would be pleas'd to certify for each of them or such of them as are known to you according to the Tenor of the enclosed Certificates and signify the same ^{that you would} to me by ~~underwriting the~~ with yr. first convenience to

S^r. yr. most humble Serv^t

To the Rev. W. Lewis de la Torre (5)

London. 31. Aug. 1738.

On board the Falmouth Man of War

at Jamaica. Rev. S^r.

By the
Bonetta.
Capt.

I am oblig'd to you for your favours of the 16. March from Madera, and 10th of April from the Coast of Guinea, and congratulate you that you escap'd the snare ~~that was~~ intended for you at Madera to allure you under the merifull care of the Fathers of the Inquisition, I hope the same good Providence that protected you then will ~~be~~ always your safeguard. I am glad to find you continue so much in the Captain's favour ^{and hope your respect} ~~I have call'd several times on Mr. Douglas to make y^r. compliments to him~~ will always preserve you in that happiness. The Society desire y^r. acceptance of the 2. Com. Pray^r. Books y^r. desir'd, together with the Books added to them according to the list here inclosed, of which I ~~trust~~ ^{doubt not but} you will make a proper use. Mr. Hollowell had sent away his packet before they could be got ready, but they are recommended to the care of Mr. Williams in London ~~who corresponded~~ ^{to be conveyed} ~~relation of the Rev. W. Galpin, of Spanish Town, and one~~ ^{under whose cover} ~~that corresponds with the Rev. W. Cominsory May, to whom~~ ^{they are} ~~y^r. packet is~~ ^{directed}, from whom I hope you will receive it. I sent an extract of y^r. letter from Madera to Capt. de Ribera ^{at Plymouth} as an apology for y^r. not writing to him, but hope you will write to him from Jamaica. I hope y^r. wife & her sister in Cornhill take all ^{proper} opportunities of writing to you, I have always let them partake of the Advice I had of y^r. welfare. I thank you for y^r. civilities to Master Duquene, and hope you will continue to advise him as occasion offers for be- having himself so as to have the esteem of the Comadore and ~~the rest of the officers~~ ^{all} ~~under his~~ ^{the} Command. I have rec'd a letter from M. Duquene w^{ch} I hope soon to ans^r. if not by the Ship that carry's this wishing you all manner of prosperity I remain

Rev. S^r. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.

Henry Newman

London. 13th Sep^r. 1738.

y^r. letters from Guinea but I rec^d y^r. Melancholy Letter of the 10th and
 14th of July giving a Melancholy acct. of the insult of the officers of
 the Falmouth on their worthy Captain; I congratulate you that you
 have outliv'd it, and ^{are} safely arriv'd in a Port where the Captain will
 be sure to have justice done ~~to~~ him by the Comadore. The Instance as you
 relate it, is such as I never heard the like before in a Man of War
 and don't know how I could have behaved if I had been in y^r.
 place without sharing as you did in the Insult. I hope the authors
 of it will be treated as they deserve. I have letters from the Rev.
 W. Comins May & M^r. Galpine who write respectfully of you, &
~~and~~ that they are dispos'd to do you all the service they can;
 I find the Gov^r. has been so kind as to present you to a living
 which Comadore Brown consents to your ^{accepting} ~~supplying~~ while you
 are ~~in the West Indies~~ ^{at Jamaica}. I don't know the situation of that
 living, but if you can sometimes attend the performance of Divine
 offices on board the Falmouth it will very much recommend you to
 the Lords of the Admiralty ~~and~~ ^{and} also to the Bishop of
 London when it pleases God you return to England. That you
 endeavour'd as ^{much} ~~well~~ as you could to supply the Duty of a spiritual
 Guide in both Stations, not in regard to worldly views, ~~so much~~ as from
 a desire to do all the good you could for edifying the Souls under y^r. care.
 I thank you for y^r. civilities to M^r. Duquet. I hope his good Behaviour
 may one time or other recommend him to the Smiles of his Captain on w^{ch} all
 his future ~~dependence~~ ^{dependence} depends. May God Almighty preserve you in the
 V. Rowland Sherman ^{Minister of Rev. S. S. at} most ^{valuable} service.
 at Albany. Merit. London. 5. Sep. 1738

To W. Rowland Terman ^{Minister of Rev. S. L. G. most eligible Secy.}
at Aleppo. ^{merch.} London. 5. Sep. 1738
Hond. S. v. by the Delaware of the 23^d of T. 72

[illegible]

To the Rev. W. Robt. Miller
at Paisley in N. Brit.
Rev. S.^r

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Bartlett's Building
London. 9. Sep. 1738.

I am affraid to ^{find} have been so long
in y^r. Debt as since the 29th of Aug. 1737. the true reason
of which has been the hopes of having something out of
the Press to send you at the same time I returned you y^r
thanks of the Society ^{as I now do} for y^r. kind Present to their Library
of ~~the 2 Vol.~~ of the History of the Propagation of Christianity
in 2 Vol. which was exceeding acceptable to them that
I have been order'd to buy a Copy for our ^{Protestant} Missionaries their
Public Library at ~~St. George~~ ^{may be near} in E. India. I thank
you also for y^r. account of y^r. Schools in N. Britain and
of y^r. Missionaries ^{in America} who I hope do abundance ^{much} of good,
though they cannot but meet with difficulties and
discouragement ^{in E. India} as ours have done; In these and
all attempts of this kind it must be expected that the
common Enemy of Mankind will not be wanting to
raise his ^{utmost} efforts to oppose ^{whatever} way ^{ever} advance
the Glory of God & Kingdom of our ^{Blessed} Saviour in
the world; ~~we are only~~ and therefore ^{both} the Society in
N. Britain & we here ^{therefore} persist in their Endeavours
that humbly confiding ~~that~~ in the promise that the
Gates of Hell shall ^{never} prevail against the
Church of God. The Society thank you for your
Prayer and desire the continuance of them ^{at the}
~~give and leave to~~ ^{same time} request a share in them for

To the L. Bp of London
at Fulham

Rev. S.^r

Y^r. most obed^t

humble Serv^t

My Lord

Bartlett's Buildings
13. Sep. 1738

The enclosed letter contains the complaint of a
very worthy Clergyman at Exeter ag^t ^{some Notes on the History of China} ~~a Book~~ now printing in
London with several offensive reflections to say the worst of them
ag^t Christianity and ^{all} Revealed Religion; The Letter having been
read

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read Yesterday to the Society I was order'd ^{humbly} ~~to acquaint~~ ^{to acquaint} y^r. Lordship with the Contents of it ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~to~~ ^{to} your consideration to do thereon as your Lordship shall think best. The Society have no Authority to hinder

My Lord ~~suppose~~ what Mr. Gay complains of, but hope I should w^t I have a letter from Don Louis de las Torres at Jamaica of the 14th July wherein he sends his Duty to y^r. Lordship and refers me to a further ^{of the 14th July} ^{Account} to be sent to you of a misfortune to him the latter part of the Voyage from Guinea to Jamaica when the Lieut. ^{thought} they had reason to confine the Capt. of the Kalmouth to his Cabin for some disorder in his head, which being enquir'd into upon their Arrival at Jamaica the Comadore Brown immediately restor'd ^{Douglas} the Captain to his Command and dismiss'd the Lieut. from theirs, till Orders from Eng^d. can be ~~sent~~ ^{obtained} ~~transmitted~~ ^{about it}. Don Louis having rec'd many civilities from the Capt. ^{made himself} ^{and Gov. Tredaway} ^{became} a sufferer with the Captain, and by that means ^{and Gov. Tredaway} have been very kind to him. I am for which the Comadore ^{My Lord,}

To the Rev^d M^r. Dow. Collins, Vic^r.
at St Erth in Cornwall.

Barthol^y Building,
Londⁿ. 14. Sep^r. 1730.

Rev^d Sir

I rec^d y^r. Lett^r. of the 4th. Cur^r. w^t a Bill for 6. Guineas on Mr. Jeremiah John of Lyons for drawn by Mr. Hawkins w^t. I have delivered to Wm. Lillard Esq^r your Treas^r. for Books who will I doubt not receive it as soon as due. of these 6. Guineas,

You appropriate 2. Guineas for a Benefaction from a person desiring to be unknown by Gen^l. Design of the Society, for which I am order'd to desire as I know so that you would give the thanks of the Society to the Benefactor.

The remain^d 6. Guineas you desire may be appropriated for a packet of books on the Terms of d^y Society but when I am to bespeak them those you desired are estimated at £3. 18. 5 but some of them are not to be had viz. the 3. Voy. Com^d. Gray^s Nonpar^l, the last Impression being consumed in the King's Printing house lately burnt, and so were the next viz. the Minion, but a Breve Com^d. Gray^s may be had, which will

will make the packet come to abt a Guinea more than the sum above mentioned, but then w^{ch} directions form^d devout & proper use of the form. Pray I can't be bound up wth it the sizes being out of proportion.

I should be glad therefore to have y^r leave for sending the sort of Com. B. which can be had before they are sent, & to know in w^h books you would desire to have the overplus of y^r B. Six Guineas, and there will be about a Guinea Value w^{ch} you may add by y^r demand of

Rev. & A. B. most humble Serv^t

Henry Newman

To the Rev. W. Liezenhagen
at Kensington Square
Rev. & Dear^t

Bartlet's Building,
19. Sep^r 1738.

You know I am not a friend to formality more than necessary but quite contrary ~~and~~ being caution'd this day seright by a worthy Member who went not himself ^{to much as} borrow a letter ^{from L. India} to peruse it without asking leave for it you cannot blame my desire to give no offence in asking for a permission that I was sure would be granted as soon as apply'd. And that you might not stay for it I took care to have it examined & that ~~you~~ it might be ready at the moment you should desire it as it is now sent you by

My concern for ~~offending~~ ^{without any delay} you in this affair put it out of my mind to ask you abt. waiting on the A. B. p.

Rev. S. Y. most humble Serv^t

To M^{rs} Anna Sophia Countway
in the Church Yard at Exeter

Bartlet's Building,
London. 19. Sep^r 1738.

Madam I receiv'd your kind letter of the 17th of April last which I did bore acknowledging till I could see M^r. Fynes who call'd upon me the beginning of this month and paid me the undermentioned sums pursuant to your order viz.

On acct ^t of the late Wm ^{Key} Wm th Countway for	21:--
2. Years of his ^{Contribution} Subscription to the Society ending	
at Michas 1735. 10: 10:--	2. each year
M ^{rs} Anna Sophia Countway, M ^{rs} Albert, and M ^{rs} Basset	21:--
for 4. years ending Michas 1737. 5. Guineas each y ^r	

Carry'd forward

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To the Rev^d M^r. Griffith (11)
Jones at Landowor in parmarthen

Barretts Buildings.
26. Sep^r 1738.

Rev^d S^r

I rec^d your favour of 13th Jun^r
and having acquainted the Society wth the contents of it
they readily agreed to allow the charge of Binding as
many Welsh Bibles as M^r. Downing shall tell you
if you like her terms, w^{ch} she has signify^d in her Let^r
of which I have at enclosed a copy in answer to an
Extract of y^r Let^r. so far as related to the Give of the
Bible she has in her hands.

M^r. Oliver has prom^{is}d from M^r. Downing
that the 1000. psalms in Welsh shall be ready to be
sent by the 1st opportunity, which he believes may be
in a fortnights time; They have a large impression of
them ready made, and the Society readily allow them
to be sent on the usual Terms.

I paid the B. Guinea to M^r. Downing and
have herewth sent her Rev^d. Allys friends, here are
well & salute you by

M^r. Thords is well at Windsor

Capt. Hudson sends his humble service Rev^d S^r

to you. I am prom^{is}d the proposal of y^r. most humble Let^r.
for printing M^r. Henry's Exalt.
which I hope may be sent by
next Post.

Henry Newman

To the Rev^d. M^r. Geo. Whitfield
at Georgia Savannah in Georgia
Rev^d. S^r

London. 27. Sep^r 1738.

I received by M^r. Hutton y^r. favour of the 1st of July
which being communicated to the Society they were glad to hear
of y^r. welfare and the success of y^r. labours in Georgia and that
you do not complain of the want of y^r. health, as y^r. last Let^r did,
from whence they hope the Climate agrees with you. I wrote
to the 8th of last month by Capt. Tompson Mast^r. of the 2. B^r.
in whom ~~there~~ ^{sent} was a small packet from the Society of which
they desire y^r. acceptance. Yesterday I rec^d the letter
herewith sent from our worthy Member M^r. Thords at Windsor
which is forwarded by the way of Charleston ^{in Carolina} for fear no ~~other~~
ships may go this year to Savannah. If you write again before
you return to Eng^d may signify one word of the welfare of the
Saltzingers at Ebenezer & you'll oblige Rev^d. S^r. y^r. M^r.

In the Hope.
By Capt. White
to y^r. 30th Sep^r.
to Carolina.

To the Rev. W. Richd. Gay at Exon. (12) London. 3. Oct. 1738.
Rev. S.^r

I recd^d y^r. Letter of the 6.th of last month with an Acct. of y^r. late Correspondence with M^r. Edw^d. Cave the Printer, and acquainted the Society as ym desir'd with the ~~whole~~ affair; Upon which I was order'd to acq^t the Bp of London with the contents of y^r. Letter, ^{which} I did, and His Lordship was pleas'd to make answer in the terms of which I have enclos'd a copy. Whether His Bp thinks M^r. Cave an Inhabitant of Exeter I ~~cannot~~ tell by his saying the Bp of Exeter can influence him ^{but} ym may perhaps apprehend that meaning of that expression. I have not yet seen the Books sent on enquiring after it the Booksellers doubt whether they may ever be finished the abstract of P^r ~~the~~ History having had so great a run ^{before the Impression was begun} ~~that they believe~~ must damp the undertaking. ~~The Society would~~

The Books ym desir'd are sent by James Fry the 30.th of Sep^r Car. paid 4^s containing one ^{Parcel} M^r. Anne Comptonay ^{an} ~~which~~ in the Church yard at Exon, which ym are desir'd to convey to her. and to let her know that I hope to write to her ^{in a} ~~next~~ Post. now

I am

Rev. S.^r

Y^r. most humble Serv^t

To the Rt. Rev. the B. Bp of Exon
at Exeter My Lord

Bartlett's Building,
3. Oct. 1738.

I have herewith sent the Booksellers Acct. of the charge of the Books directed to M^r. Ambrose Atkinson at Penryn. They were sent last Friday by Capt. Frances a Tinslip bound to Falmouth from Beale's Wharf. The M^r. of our Society assumes we they were well pack'd up and a List of the Books sent with them. I have taken the liberty to cover a letter to one of y^r. Lordship's Clergy a Corresp. Member of the Society to save him the charge of Postage for advice of a packet sent to him, which I hope y^r. Lordship will excuse in

My Lord Y^r. most obed^t. humble Serv^t

To Mrs Anna Sophia Courtenay (13)
in the Church Yard
at Exeter.

London. 7. Oct. 1738

Madam I had the honour of writing to you
the 19th of last month since which I have taken the liberty to
send under the cover of a packet of the Society's books
to the Rev. Mr. Gay a parcel directed to y^r. self containing
Copies of such things as have been lately imported into
our Store of which the Society desire y^r. acceptance and the
like packets to y^r. Sister Mrs. Gilbert, & Mrs. Basset and y^r.
Bro. Peregrine Courtenay, Mr. Etheld. Davy, Mr. Pitfield, and at Exon
and the Rev. Mr. Clute at Powderham. You will please to
excuse this liberty because the Carriage of all the packets
together costs little more than one of them apart would have
done. I have likewise herewith sent letters to y^r.
Bro. Peregrine, Mr. Pitfield, and Mr. Clute notifying their
being chose subscribing Members of the Society, and have
sent the like notice to y^r. Bro. Henry Courtenay here
in Town, for whose favourable acceptance of which complem^t.
the Society are very much indebted to you, and hope the
Cred^t. of their proceedings will always afford you the
pleasure you take in being a promoter of them. I am

Madam

P.S. when I can't get a
frank here I shall be glad to
know whether I may take the
liberty of covering my letters to you on a charitable acct. by
you under cover to S^r. Will^m. Courtenay
or My L^d. Bp of Exeter while they are
in the Country.

Madam. Y^r. most obed^t. humble Serv^t.

My humble service to Mrs. Gilbert
and Mrs. Basset, and pray excuse
my not writing to them
and to

P.S. to Mr. Pitfield; & Mr. Clute's Letters.

S^r. The Society have receiv'd by Mrs. Anna Courtenay y^r.
charitable contribution to their design of 2. Guineas for one
year ending Michaelmas 1737. by which you have anticipated their
for which they thank you, and desire y^r. acceptance of a small
packet of their books sent under cover to Mrs. Courtenay in
pursuing which you will be fully appriz'd of their design.

To W^m. Gillard Esq^r.
in Spital Square

Bartlett's Buildings

9. Oct. 1738.

As the ~~return~~ letters to & from Germany are slow in
coming in time, I beg leave to submit to your conside-
-ration whether you may not think it proper to move
the Com

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the Com. to move to desire W. Ziegenhagen to write to Prof. Frank in the name of the Society to congratulate Prof. Frank on the good prospect attending the separation of the Missionaries at Fort St. George and to thank him for the share he had in bringing it about, and to let him know ~~to~~ ^{at Fort St. George} desire the continuance of his favour to ~~each~~ ^{the} Branch of the ~~Mission~~ ^{Mission} at Madras & Cudalore.

You know while the ferment lasted he remitted his Benefactions to Tranquebar to be appropriated as he should direct hereafter. The Missionaries at Cudalore will be able to do little service in their Station unless they have more than their Salaries to support them, and you know to whom the Society have been beholden for those supplies that for many years past have been remitted to 'em. I need only therefore to put you in mind to do therein as you shall think proper & to leave the issue to that Providence which overrules all things. I am

S^t. Y^r. most humble

Jos^d Rev^d Mr. Griff. Jones
at Landour in Carnarvonshire.

Rev^d Sir

Bartlett's Buildings.
Londⁿ. 10. Oct. 1730.

Last Post bro^d me y^r. favour of 4th Inst^t. which I this day laid before the Society & in answer do to w^{ch} you desire of them as taking a y^d charge of binding all the Welsh Bibles you may be able to procure of Mess^{rs}. Mount & Bage, they would be glad to assist you according to their ability, but as so indefinite a request, they can make no Judgm^t. of their ability and therefore desire you would signify some number or near the number you expect to receive of Mr Mount in order to their giving an Answer to y^r. desire.

I immediately forwarded an Extract of Lett^r to Mr. Downing of so much of it as concern'd her w^{ch} Mr. Olwin has this day bro^d. & I am^t. herewth sent.

To the R. Rev. the
B. P. of Exeter
at Exon.

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Bartlett's Buildings
14. Oct. 1730.

My Lord I had the honour of yr.
letter of the 11th Inst. by last post, in answer to which
there is no addition to be made to the charge of
13:15:2. for the last packet sent to ~~Falmouth~~ your P. M.
order at Falmouth. The Society have formerly paid the
freight or carriage of parcels ^{from London} to their Correspondents ^{in the Country} but
finding the Carriers ^{being} more negligent of Parcels when the
Carriage is paid before hand, - Several of their Correspondents
have desired the Carriage might ^{for the future} not be paid in London;
The Society have therefore of late allow'd the charge of
Box & Porter to the Inn or Ship ^{as an Equivalent} towards defraying that charge
of Carriage. And The Messengr. expects no gratification
for what he does, the Society having agreed for his attendance
on that Service by the Year. I am

My Lord

To Mr Francis Hugonin
at Munsled near Petersfield.

Bartlett's Buildings
Octob^r 14. 1730.

J. R. Sir

Mr Lawrence & I have enquired for tries
at the Surge and the Doorkeeper's Office, at the E. India house
for you by Capt Woodley but can hear of none, I hope you have
recd. em by some other hand. The D. of Lorrain Capt
Compton is now at Gravesend, and as the Surge tells me is to
be dispatch'd next week, one of them for Madras, & the other
for y^e Coast & Bay to be determin'd next Court day. If you
have an Interest in either of those Captains I should be glad
if you would employ it in favour of Mr Lawrence in any
Station above a Common Sailor. Messrs Wynch & Howard
Min^{rs} & Lynysson & Hammond Churchwardens in their Ltr
of 6. Feb. y^r last write to me as follows,

Mr Lawrence designs to come out again next Year &
to reside here in the Country, & we question not but he will
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get a good employ if he is industrious: His stay in
England will be at least four months during that time
he will be at some expence we suppose, & should all the
Money be spent when he arrives in England that we advanced
him, we may you & I to advance him as often as his
call real Necessities shall call for, to the amount of Twenty
Pounds but no more, we have taken care to write to Mr.
Hugonin to reimburse you that sum to whom we have
engaged to be responsible. And we desire you & I to inspect
or enquire into his conduct and manners during his stay
in England &c.

I own to you his behaviour hitherto has been very
agreeable, which I hope will continue; He has a very
good notion of all parts of Navigation, I mean the practice
as well as the Theory, & is now daily employing himself
in transcribing his Journal to and from China into a fair
Book, & every day gives me pleasure in his observation —
so that I believe many have gone out 5th or 6th Mate to
an India Man not better qualify'd than he is; One of
his Ships Mates that never was at Sea till this Voyage is
I understand recommended for a 6th Mate, & he says if
he could have that happiness he would return to England
rather than stay abroad, but if not, he will be content
to go in such Station as his friends can procure and to be
dispos'd of in India as they shall direct. My humble
service to you & Lady & please to believe that I am

P.S.

Mr Laurence sends his
humble service to you & Lady &
fire side.

Yr. Obedt humble serv^t.

Henry Newnham

To the Rev^d Mess^{rs} Wynch & Min^r
Howard

London. 17. Oct. 1738.

Charles Sympton } Churchwardens
John Hammond } at Fort St. Geo.

Rev^d S^r and Gent.

I receiv'd yr. letter of the 6th of
Feb^r last by the Royal Guardian, in whom Mr. Lawrence safely
arriv'd ^{in the ship Aug.} much improv'd in the art of Navigation & according to my
little judgment ~~that~~ he is daily endeavouring to qualify himself to
be usefull according to yr. ^{directions and} ~~orders~~ nothing shall be wanting
in my

By the D. of
Lorain Capt.
Compton.

To S.^r Erasm^{us} Philipp^{us} Bant^{er}
at Sienna. in ~~Flora~~ Tuscany

London. 16. Oct. 1738

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Dear S.^r Erasmus

I just now rec'd the
enclosed from y^r. Bro^r. John. My last was of the 31st of
Aug. in answer to yours of the 28th of July from Geneva. I
hope y^r. enjoy y^r. health, and will now and then let your
friends here have the pleasure of being inform'd of it.
You will perhaps in y^r. way thro' Florence ^{you will perhaps} have opportunity
to enquire the situation ^{after} of M.^r S.^t John whether he is quite
so unhappy as fame ^{has} represented him. All y^r. friends here
are well, and ~~are~~ coming to town as fast as they can to
pass the winter. The Parliament is adjourn'd to the 7th of
Dec^r. The Court is expected ^{at S.^t James's} to remain there.
not to return to Kensington ^{for some short time}.
M^r. Verney is sworn in ^{Master of the Rolls} to succeed S.^t Jos. Jeph^{er}, his Patent
durante vita and liberty to appoint ~~depon~~ one or more deputies
for examining ~~the~~ taking care of the Rolls. M^r. Maddocks
is talk'd of to succeed Bp Harris in Land off. S.^r Rob^t. Walp.
is so far recover'd as to return to his House in town and
receive visits. S.^r James Lowther is come to ^{his House in Ex. Squ.} ~~London~~ from
the Count in good health from his seat in Cumberland, and
sends his humble service to you. Your friends here frequently
ask me when they may expect the happiness of seeing you.
which I hope y^r. next ^{will} ~~may~~ inform me. May you always
enjoy the protection of Heaven is the ^{sincere} wish of

D^r. Gosch is translated to D^r. S.^t. Y^r. most obed^t. humble Serv^t.
the See of Norwich. And ~~D^r. Butler~~ is
said to succeed him at Bristol. ~~seems not~~
yet determined. The Pr. & Prince of Wales, set out this day for Bath.
The seal of the enclosed sticking to the cover of it, I have almost
broke it open in separating them, which you will excuse.

To the Rev^d. Mess^{rs}. Dal. Boppe Walther,
Obuch, Wiedebrohe & Kholhoff.

London. 17. Octob. 1738

at Tranquebar.

Rev^d. S.^r. Y^r. letter of the 19th & 28th of Dec^r.
last came safe to hand and were very acceptable to the Society with
excepting the advice of the death of one of y^r. obliging friends, ~~and~~
are refer'd to a more particular answer
of the Society to be answer'd by the later
ships. in the mean time they have order'd all the things you
descri'd by M^r. Ziegenbagen to be bought. May the Divine Blessing
always attend y^r. labours in propagating true Christian knowledge
the wish of the Society & particularly of Rev^d. S.^r. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
H. N.

By the D.
of Lorraine
Capt. Crom: you
-pton.

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P. S.
I have sent by this Ship a packet of letters for you from M^r. Ziegenhagen.

To M^{rs} Mary Green
in Petty France Westminster.
Madam.

Bartlett's Buildings,
23. Oct. 1738.

M^r. Thorold of S^t. James's Place, but now resident at Windsor has de^liv^{er}'d me to acq^t. you with the contents of the enclosed letter ^{to him} from the Rev^d. M^r. Giff. Jones of Landonor in Carmarthensh^{ire}. ~~to him~~, and if you think ~~they~~ ^{it} may be acceptable to the Lady Catharine Jones to be inform^d of such an instance of Primitive Zeal & Sincer^{ity} ^{attending} in the ~~the~~ labours of one man ^{doing good} for ~~promoting~~ ^{Christian} ~~human~~ ^{let} ~~be desired~~ you would acquaint her Ladyship ^{see} with the contents of it.

I shall do my self the honour of waiting on you some day this or the next week as the weather shall permit. I am glad to find you enjoy y^r. health so well as to take the air sometimes abroad, and if I had known of y^r. being in these Buildings & other day at M^{rs} Baldwin's I should have refus'd to pay my respects to you being

You will excuse my not send^{ing} Madam the letter sooner, for ~~to tell~~ ^{she} ~~you the truth~~ ^{some time since} it has travelled to Lancashire ~~will~~ & came to my hands but last week.

Y^r. most obed^t.
humble Serv^t.

To John Thorold Esq^r. in S. James's Place
S^r.

Bartlett's Buildings
25th Oct. 1738.

I have rec^d ^{from} S^r. John W. Jones's letter from S^t. James Lowther which he lik'd so well that he has taken a copy of it. I ^{last week} ~~have been~~ ^{was} to wait on M^{rs} Green but she not being at home I have sent it to her by the Penny Post with a desire that she w^d communicate ^{to} Lady Cath. Jones. the ~~enclosed~~

(20) enclosed I rec'd last Post from ^{W^m Jones} ~~London~~, and ~~would~~ have sent it to y^r. house in Town ^{presuming} y^r. Serv^t may have opportunity of sending it frank to you.

W^m. Jones has desir'd the Society to allow him the binding of 220. Welch Bibles which was yesterday agreed to ^{as usual} all y^r. friends here are well and hope to see you when y^r. family is return'd to Town, if not before.

I am y^r. most humble Serv^t. H. N.

To Bryan Blundel Esq^r
at Liverpool

London. 24. Oct. 1738

S^r. W^m. Tillard our Treasurer for Books this day made a Report that he had rec'd y^r. Bill ~~for 12. s.~~ of W^m. Pole for . . . 12. --
from whence deducting the Balance due for y^r. 1st former Packet . . . 7. 5 ¹/₂

The packet last sent of which I sent } 5: 9: 2 ³/₄
the particulars the 5th Cent. . . } 5: 16: 8 ¹/₄

There remains to be apply'd as desir'd }
in y^r. favour of the 12th of Sept^r to the gentle } 6: 3: 3 ³/₄
Designs of the Society as desir'd in y^r. favour }
of the 12th of Sep^r . . .

For which I am oblig'd to desire you would accept the Thanks of the Society. My humble Service to the Rev^d. W^m. Stanley & please to believe that I am
Capt. Cram ^{returns} his S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t.
humble Service to you.

To the Rev^d. W^m. Giff. Jones
at Landouror.

London. 24. Oct. 1738.

Rev^d. S^r. y^r. Letter of the 19th Cur^t was this day communicated to the Society, who are ^{not a little} very much pleas'd with y^r. Zeal therein express'd for the advancement of their ^{for promoting God's Glory} Designs and have readily agreed to allow the Binding of 220. Bibles in Welch for the ~~good~~ use you intend them.

~~It was 8 s. & 10 pence~~ ~~W^m. Mount~~ charg'd the ~~last parcel~~ for binding 220. Bibles in Welsh part, which came to 9. s. and ^{is} exceeding cheap if they are well done in Cal^y; ~~W^m. Downing~~ must acquiesce in keeping for a while the Bibles she has, since as she says she shall

(21) shall lose ^{them} by ^{at} the price she has offer'd 'em, considering
how long they have lain on her hands; she is very
sensible of W. Mount's, being able to afford 'em cheaper than
she can because he sells them at the ^{out of the King's Warehouse} first hand whereas
she sells them at the ^{second hand} ^{with ready money} after having bought
them out of the King's Warehouse. ^{it is very providential that}
can be supply'd with them at ^{so easy a rate} ^{as I am glad you}
your Fund be never exhausted for so good a service.

I forwarded y^r. letter to M^r. Thorpe, at Windsor: all y^r.
friends here ^{are well &} salute you by
26. Oct^r 1738.

I was prevented forwarding Rev^d. S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t.
this to you by last Post by
attending on the interm^t. of a friend to
the Abbey.

To the Rev^d. W^m. Griff. Jones
at London or Rev^d. S^r.

Bartlet's Building,
2. Nov^r. 1738.

The Society ^{being} ~~having~~ acquainted
with M^r. Downing's demand on them for the remainder of
the Impression of 1500. Psalters ^{in Welsh}, I am order'd to remind you
of them as what they hope may be of use ^{to you} in the
distributions you make ^{daily} among ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{Welsh} Schools. By the Copies
already sent you will judge of the ^{usefulness of the} impression whether they are
reasonable at the rate of 4^s. farthing & ab^t. 1^s. of a farthing
each book, the Society in Quires, the Society being at
the Charge of binding them, or at half the Charge if they
are ~~stick'd~~, concerning which when you favours me with
a letter, please to signify y^r. intentions. I am

I have not heard yet Rev^d. S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t.
from S^r. Erasmus since he
left Geneva, which I a little wonder
at, ~~it being now~~ his last letter being dated
28. July. N^s. which is now ^{above} 3. months.
tho' I have wrote twice to him in that time.

To M^r. Francis Hugoin
at Ninsted near Petersfield Hampsh.

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Bartlett's Building,
4. Nov^r. 1738.

Dear Sir, I receiv'd yr. letter of the 14th. Oct. by
M^r. Turner but happen'd not to be at home when he call'd
on me. The enclosed for M^r. Madsen I gave to M^r. Lawrence
and he immediately endeavour'd to find him out, but he
was gone to Bath for the recovery of his health having
lost the use of his limbs in his ^{Voyage} ~~return~~ from China. ~~Upon~~
which M^r. Lawrence sent and ^{nor} ~~it~~ did not appear he had left his
connections with any body about ^{4. Jarrs} ~~them~~. Upon which M^r.
Lawrence sent a copy of yr. letter to him at Bath ~~according~~
~~to the best direction he could get~~, but he has not yet
rec'd any answer perhaps because the poor man is not
able to ~~hold a pen~~ ^{write}, and for this reason neither M^r. L.
nor I have wrote to you expecting daily an answer.

Last Wednesday the Lynn Capt. Ch. Gilbert for Bombay and
the Prince William Capt. Tho. Langworth for Madras were taken
up by the Court of Directors, if you have interest in either of
them ^{to recover} ~~M^r. Lawrence~~ I should be glad to be favan'd with it, for I foresee
I shall have difficulty to get him a birth without ~~Money~~ ^{or money}
Interest to procure it. I saw Capt. Hoadley yesterday and
he says he shall be always ready to give him a good Cha-
racter, but his Interest is already engaged, to other people.

M^r. Lawrence sends his
humble service to you & yr. Lady

To M^r. Mole Secy
of the Hon^{ble}. the E. Ind. Comp^y.

Bartlett's Building,
10. Nov^r. 1738.

Ent^d.

Sir I beg you would at a proper time
lay before the ^{Court} ~~the~~ Address herewith sent, that when their
pleasure is known therein I may bespeak the things, by
which you will oblige I^r. Yr. most humble Serv^t.

To the Rev. W. Louis de la Torre (23)
at the Rev. W. Galpine's in
Spanish Town Jamaica.

London. 11. Nov^r. 1788.

Rev. Sir

Yesterday I recd^d y^r. favour of
the 13th of Aug^t! My last to you were sent of the 31st Aug^t
& 13th Sept^r in the former of which I sent a List of a Basket
of Books, of which the Society desire y^r. acceptance. They
were sent under cover to Mr. Commissary May & Mr. Galpine
but being left wth Mr. William, a Relation of Mr. Galpine's
they were not forwarded till lately an opportunity presented
of doing it. Your wife and Daughter are well and she
has regularly received the 10. pounds quarterly from Mr.
Jooper since you went. She has wrote thrice to you under
cover from S. Hamilton or Mr. Holworthy, this Aug^t I had
at Mr. Viet's, where I met Mr. Bapel who both send their humble
service to you.

I am sorry for y^r. Melancholly and y^e. give me of the
Imagination of y^e. Garrison, and hope y^e. example and
instruction will give them another sense of things.

I am very much concerned for and y^e. give me of
Mr. Duquesne & if he goes on in the same way, he will come to
the Gallows in spite of all the care his friends have taken to
bestow a liberal Education upon him.

I shall write to Mr. Galpine as you desire, and beg
you to believe that I am

Respect Sir

Y^r. most humble Serv^t

Henry Newman

London. 11. Nov^r. 1788.

To the Rev. W. Calvin Galpine
at Spanish Town Jamaica

Rev. Sir

I thank you for y^r. favour of the 1st July
last, and the many civilities you have shewn to Don Lewis

de

de las Torres, of which he has given me a large sum, and also of God's great regard to his sufferings in Falmouth by placing him in a living where he may lay up something for his family while he stays at Jamaica.

I am glad to understand you have received the Society's Packet, or at least notice of it; for the last I sent by you is but just now gone, having been sometime at M^{rs} Williams's before she could have an opportunity of conveying it.

The Packet is directed to Mr Commisary May & y^d Self & contains a large packet for M^r Lewis de las Torres by order of the Society to distribute among his Parishioners, though he gives but a melancholy Aus^d of their disposition to read or hearken to any good advice that may be given them.

M^r Harry Duquene was on board the Commarⁿ but by the last Account I have of him he has deserted her, and is returned to England in a Merchant Man where I am sure he'll be very unwelcome to his friends who have at a good deal of expense fitted him out twice in 2 very good Men of War, and he has run away from 'em both, for no other reason that he gives, but that he had nothing to do on board.

Comm^{re} Brown was wth difficulty prevailed upon to take him when no Body else would, and designed to prefer him to the first Vacancy of a midshipman for his friends sake, but he has now forfeited all the hopes they had of him and I wish he don't come to an untimely End at last. I again thank you for y^r civilities to M^r De las Torres and shall be glad to shew any respect to y^r Son at Colon in the power of

Rev^d Sir Y^r most obed^t humble Serv^t
Henry Newman

To the Rev^d M^r Commisary
May at Kingston in Jamaica.

Rev^d Sir

London. 11 Nov^r 1730.

I thank you for y^r favour of the 7th July last and y^r civilities to M^r Luis de las Torres (for he does not love to be call'd Don) that he may not be thought to be otherwise than an Englishman; I understand the Gov^r has been

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so kind as to present him to a large parish called Green's Castle
St. Mary's parish I shall be glad to know the situation of it
wth respect to Kingston and wth it may be worth p^{ro}secut^{ing}. I am
sorry to find the climate does not agree wth him and that he thinks
of returning to England wth the Dartmouth Man of War.

The Society desire your acceptance of a Packet of the Books
imported last year into their Store, in w^{ch} I have sent a large packet
to Mr. Louis de la Torre according to his desire from the Coast of
Guinea.

They were sent sometime since to Mr. Williams's
but she has not had an opportunity of sending them till lately,
perhaps in a ship that carries this.

The Bp. of London
is well at his Apartments in Whitehall whither his Lordship is
come to pass w^{inter}. I pray God to preserve you and
y^{our} family in health, and continue to bless y^{our} care of the
Interests of his Church in y^{our} parts for his ~~honour~~ ^{honour} your own
Comfort.

I am

Rev^d Sir

y^{our} most Obed^t & humble serv^t

Henry Newman.

Mem^d a Bill for Books sent him in
Nov^r 1735. was enclosed in this Lett.
accounting to ~~the B^p~~ ^{of the B^p}
and that the same remain ^{undischarg'd} ~~undischarg'd~~, who desired it might be
signify'd to Mr. May.

To Mr. Isaac Hallis at
High Wycomb Bucks

Bentley's Building,
14. Nov^r 1738.

Sir The Society have made their usual
address to the Comt of Directors for leave to send
freight free money & other things ^{this year} for the Service
of the Mission to E. India, the benefit of which I am
to attend to morrow at the India House. The
Shuttlebury is to be dispatch'd the latter end of this
month ^{to Port S. Geo.} but ~~I take it~~ it will be impossible for us
to be ready to send the things so soon.

As the Mission is begun at Cadizore, the Society
have agreed to send their Salaries as formerly and
Mr. Ziegenhagen will send a considerable sum to be
appropriated as he shall direct. This I thought it my
Duty to adv^{ise} you with that you might take measures for y^{our} own
favours to the Mission as you shall think fit. I am

My humble Service to
you Lady & friends.

y^{our} most humble serv^t H. N.

To the Rev. W. Arch. Deane, Deane
at Vaux Hall.

Bartlett's Building,
14. Nov. 1738.

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Rev. S.^r I have herewith sent all the
letters I have rec'd this year from the missionaries
in E. India except one from the missionaries at
Tranquebar of which I have sent a Translation only
the original being on Royal Paper and design'd to be
shewn to the Arch. Bp. of Cant. could not well be folded
to the narrowness of the Bundle without spoiling it,
I shall be oblig'd to you if you can return them
before you go to Rochester, that my Clerk may be
entering the Acc^{ts} in the paper books of which he
has made a beginning.

I wish you a good Journey, and am
Rev. S.^r

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Downing in Answer to
Mr. Griffith Jones's of the 8. Nov. 1738.

Reader

London. 16. Nov. 1738.

In y^r Lett^r of the 8th Instant to the worthy
Mr. Newman, you were pleas'd to desire 4000. more of
the Prayers (in Sheets) which I printed for you. I have already
sent you the whole 12000. and I don't doubt but you'll find
it so if you'd please to examine y^r Copy. The first 4000.
were stick'd up at the End of the book of 5. Sheets, which I
printed at first; the second 4000. stick'd by themselves were
sent in Dec. 1737. and the 3^d 4000. were sent at the same
time as the Welsh Psalter, were sent in Jan. 17 last and my
Lett^r of advice was sent the 17th of the same month.
If you shall want 4000. more printed, and will please to correct
a Copy and send it me, I'll get em some out of hand. I'll
send Mr. Whitefield's books as desir'd. — I have this day sent
to inquire, and find Mr. Howells's Ship the Amity set sail for
Carmarthen last Friday, having on board in 2 Boxes, directed
for you

1000. Call to y^e Throne of Grace &c. — 2. 2. 6
at 4/3. Prov. sticking. —

1. Duty of Christians &c. — 4. 1. 6
C. low. 2 boxes with page &c. on y^e 2. 6. 10

please to add to Bill of some 1. £2. 10. 10

(2) There is likewise, in same box 1000. Catechisms on Account of Society, towards & Charge of which 2/6. has paid by their Messengers which I have not charged to you.

The 3^d 1000. Call by Throne of Grace shall be got ready as fast as possible, and sent by a Carrier then beget, of which I shall advise you — I have only 17. of the Welsh Bible of 1710. & they have been bound sometime but very strong, all single row'd at 1 shilling a Book: As you offer prompt payment & I have been so long out of my Money, I am willing to use you better than I would another, and if you'll buy all my small Bible (ab. 80) will even let you have 'em at the same price you paid Mr. Mount for his complete: that is I'm inform'd of each in sheets: but then you had 10. over in 100; which I'm to allow for, & as I compute will reduce & price of mine to 3/0 each in sheets; & if there be any I can't make complete they shall be charged at 2/0. in sheets, and I'll take care to get 'em well bound at 0.2 a piece. Your answer will oblige

Ans^r. Y^r. most obed. humble Serv^t

Mr. Downing.

Copy of Rec^d for 2.

Boxes mentioned in y^e above Lett^r.

Octob^r 27. 1730.

Recd. on board the Trinity 2. Boxes of Books.

Richd Murrow.

To Mess^{rs}. Schalekhauser, Hugel, & Gastam Merch^{ts} at Venice

London, 7. Nov^r. 1730.

by Mess^{rs}. Hagen & Beetsen

Gentlemen I receiv'd y^r. kind letter of the 22. Oct. N. 5. with a Benefaction of 10. pound Sterl. towards relieving the Poor Saltzburghers in Georgia, of which a Report ^{having} been made to the Society I am order'd to desire y^r. acceptance of their Thanks for so great a favour to those pious Confessors.

They have met with great Difficulties in their first Settlement: Some of which are remov'd, and nothing will be wanting in the Society, that is in their power to remove others as they occur.

The Society are oblig'd to you for your good wishes of Success to their designs, ^{concerning the Progress} of which you will see some Acc^t. given in the Packet of Small Tracts, of which also I am to desire y^r. acceptance; The Society would have sent a larger packet, if they had not been afraid of giving

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giving Umbrage to the Father Inquisitor as if they were sent to be dispersed in the Territories of Venice but if no trouble may accrue to you you will inform me in y^r. next best way I may venture to send books on Morality or controverſie way be ~~safely~~ ^{whether} convey'd to y^r. parts without Subjecting you to trouble as in other parts of Romish Countries.

I gave M^r. Cholmondeley ^{with his Wife and Children} the letter encl^d who send ~~her~~ ^{M^r. Cholmondeley} ^{M^r. Graham} humble Service to M^r. Farham: ~~and~~ ^{with} wishes he had sent the parcel he mentions back to him, and then he would not have parted with it, without the Rec^t. The Gent. that is to return the Rec^t. is at ~~Hampstead~~ ^{some where} in the Country not easily to be met with this time of the year, but when M^r. Cholmondeley can meet with him he will obey M^r. Farham's orders.

P. S.

23. Nov. 1738. Our messenger just now

brings me the list above of the books deliver'd to Mess^{rs}. Hagen & Doehfens, who have promis'd to forward it by the 1st opportunity to Venice, which they soon expect.

at Kidzetty Combrokeshire.

London. 10. Nov. 1738.

Dear M^r

I just now rec^d the encl^d from P^r. Crasmo at Naples in a letter dat^d 3rd Jun^y A.S. which is our 23rd of Oct^r. wherein he complains he had not rec^d any from me at Lienna tho' I find I wrote to him 31st of Augst & 16th of Octob^r in both which I enclosed Letters from you and directed them to Lienna by the way of France for expedition sake, the Post thro' Germany as they told me at the Post Office going much round about, and longer by 14. days in what is sent to Italy. However I hope he'll receive them safe at last, presuming there is the same regularity in the Office abroad as there is in ours.

All y^r. friends here are well, and begin now to repair to Town; where they would be glad to see you. I am now employ'd in preparing the fargoe for the Missionaries in East India, where I suppose you observe in our last And^t. that the Society have begun a Mission at Madure by Miss^{es}. Cartwright & Pieter from Fort St. George.

My humble Service to y^r. lady & family from

Y^r. most humble Serv^t. H. Newman

To Noah Cholmondeley
on Board the Lovely Betty
Capt. Spence's Command. near the
Red house Deptford.

Noah Cholmondeley. Sir

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Bartlett's Buildings.
25. Nov^r 1730.

I just now receiv'd y^r Let^r of
Yesterday desiring a Bible and some other Books which I w^d
send to you wth all my heart if you had instructed me how to
convey them wth any reasonable certainty of their coming to y^r
hands, tho' you have given me little reason to think you would
make any use of them but to sell them for what they would yield.

I have little expectation of y^r ever receiving this
Letter, much less a packet of Books by the direction you have
given me, but if you will write to me from Jamaica when it
pleases God you arrive thither in whose service you are engag'd,
and w^{ch} part of the Island he lives, I will write to my Corresp.
there to assist you.

I have acquainted y^r Father wth y^e Contents of y^r Let^r.
who is glad to hear you talk of Reformation, and retrieving
y^r past bad Character, pray God you may be so wise, &
then y^r friends, whom you have long since drawn to Despair
of y^r being good for any thing will rejoice in y^r Amendment
and be ready to assist you wth all the Comforts in their power
to bestow upon you particularly.

Y^r Obed^t humble Serv^t.

A. Newman

To the Rev^d Mr. George Miller
at Box near Chippingham Wilts.

Rev^d Sir.

Bartlett's Buildings.

London 20. Novemb^r 1730.

I am ashamed y^e 2. last Let^r should be so
long unanswered, the Occasion of which has been, Our Mess^{rs}
has forgot to call on Mr. Serj^t Eyre as you desir'd but I'll take care
to put him in mind of it.

The

(7)
The Particulars you desired of the last packet I presume
you received, I mean that sent last Feb. was 12. month the
Value of w. was. 6. 19. 2

The Clause you object ag^t. in the Bill for the Relief of the poor
in workhouses, I don't find has yet had the sanction of Parliament,
and I hope never will, because it will greatly affect many
Charity Schools besides yours.

The new Method of Catechising by way of Question &c.
is out of print and not a Society Book, but the Faith and
Practice of a Church of England man our Bookseller tells me
may be had tho' that also is not a Society Book, Mr Lewis's
Exposition of the Church Catechism being an extract of several
other Expositions is generally esteem'd and us'd by the Clergy
both in Town and Country together wth the Catechism broke into
Short Questions of which great numbers are therefore dispersed
every Year.

Our Bookseller says the Faith and Practice of a Church
of England man is not in a size to bind up wth the Society's Tracts.

Dr Erasmus Philipps is gone to Italy for his health -
which it has pleas'd God in good measure to restore ^{to} him since
he has liv'd in Foreign parts. Air. All our other Members
are well and return their humble service to you and whenever
you have any Commands for Books may signify them to

Yours &c

Yr^{ost} most humble Serv^t

Henry Newman

To Wm. Lillard Esq^r
at Spittal Square in Bishopsgate
Street.

Yr

Portlet's Buildings.
30. Nov^r 1730.

The Com^{rs}. were very much concern'd to hear of
your indisposition, and hope it will please God to bless the
means you are us'd to for yr^e. recovery.

I have got Mr Hoar's hand to the form of a Power to the
3. ~~Trustees~~ Treasurers of Charity Schools but own to you it is
so much tending to dissolve the Trust we have accepted for a
laudable cause that I wish to have a Conference wth you before
you sign it, in hopes you may be prevail'd on to be Receiver for
the

(31) The Rents in Wapping as Mr. Hoare is of those in York Buildings, in which I foresee you will have far less trouble than to take it out of the hands of the respective Treasurers, if they should happen to misapply it, or not want the Charity. You will have no trouble but to pay the money when the respective Treasurers call on you for it. Our Messrs. may receive the Rents as they become due upon y^r. Rec^d. and I will be y^r. Accountant.

Whereas in I way now propos'd the Trust will be entirely Dissolv'd for reasons I hope to lay before you to morrow God willing after attending at the East India house. I am

Y^r most humble Serv^t.

A. C. Newman.

To the R^t. Rev^d. the Lord Bp.
of S^t. Davids.
My Lord.

N^b. This Letter was
approved by the Com.
28. Nov^r. 1738. &
ordered to be sent
to the

Bp of S^t. Davids

Bp of S^t. Asaph

Bp of Bangor.

In October 1736. the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge were desired to procure 1000 Copies of the Psalter in Welch for the use of the Welch Schools in Carmarthenshire and other neighbouring Counties, but all the Psalters to be then had, amounting to little more than 600 Copies the Society were ~~induced~~ induced to give Directions for making new & more correct Impressions in a better Character and Paper than the former, and that they might come the cheaper to those who should want them, bespoke an Impression of 1500. Copies at the price of about 4^s. 12, a book in Quires. of which in the 2. year past there have not been above 400. Copies sold; so that there remains of the Impression about 1100. Copies in the hands of M. Downing the Society's Bookseller to be sold by the hundred, or Doz. at prime Cost in quires, the Society being at the Charge of binding them or if bought in Quires will be sold at half the prime Cost.

My Lord, The Society have ordered me humbly to acquaint y^r. Lordship wth this, that if there should be

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be any want of so useful a Book in y^r Lordships
Diocese it may be known where they may be had on the
Terms of the Society above signify'd: And whatever number
may be wanted the Society's Booksell^r will be ordered to
Supply them upon y^r Lordships recommendation.

I am

Bartlet's Buildings
2. Dec^r. 1730.

My Lord

To W. Mole Secy^a
to the E. India Comp.

Bartlet's Building,
5. Dec^r. 1730.

Enc^d

Sir The Society for Promoting Christian
Knowledge being this day inform'd of the ^{great} favour of
the Court of Directors in permitting the things design'd
this year for the Service of the ^{Protestant} Mission to be sent ^{free} by
free to Port S^t George I am order'd to desire ^{at I now} you
^{do that} ~~would give~~ their ~~transferr'd~~ ^{acknowledgment} might be accepted
for the same ~~and request~~ ^{would be pleas'd to} beg you ~~would be pleas'd to~~ acquaint ^{the} ~~them~~
with ~~them~~ ^{them}. I am

Sir Y^rs.

To the Rev^d W. A. D. Desme
at Vauxhall Lambeth.

Rev^d Sir

Bartlet's Buildings
12 Dec^r 1730.

The Society were glad to understand
that you was come so near them as Vauxhall & readily agreed
to your motion for the Protestant Mission Affairs that the
Committee for answering the Letters meet ~~at~~ ^{next} Tuesday
by 9 o'clock W. Litzgenhagen & M^r Tillard being here
promise God willing to meet you.

The Committee desire you would return the Thanks
of the Society to the Rev^d M^r Robinson for his Benefaction
of a Guinea to the Mission. M^r Gonsens's packet shall be
kept open to receive yours. I am

W. Tillard & M^r Edwards
Send their humble service.

Rev^d Sir

Y^r most humble serv^t.

Henry Newman.

To the Revd Mr Gibb
at Bristol.

Revd Sir

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Bartlett's Buildings.
12 Decr 1738.

Mr Dampers has not yet paid me the $\frac{1}{2}$ a
Years Rent due for y^e Chambers at Xmas last, but has given me
his note for it, & assures me that both that & y^e last Year Rent
shall be paid soon after Christmas next, tho' he has not receiv'd
one penny of Rent, from y^e Tenant he let em to for a year
& $\frac{1}{2}$ past come next Christmas, when his Lease of 3 years from
you expires, & when he promises to give me possession of the
Chambers tho' he can't do it now without forfeiting his Claim
from y^e Tenant he let em to upon a Verbal Contract to pay him
the same Rent he had engag'd to pay you viz. 10 Guinea, & I am
I may mean time Mr Absa. Purchase a Merchant & condugate
Bill has been them by means of the Landrup & like them so well
that he is willing to take them for his Son a Relation of the
Solicitor Gen^l. for 2 years, certain & 4. Years uncertain, when
they have been white wash'd and some other small repairs by
Roof made, but I can't persuade him to give above Sixteen
Guineas & I am in regard the Rents of all Chambers 3 pair
of Stairs in y^e Temple are abated. I told him they were
double Chambers & had often accommodated 2 Gent. & that I could
not make such an Abatement & shoud y^e Leave, which I
would write for by this Post, if you thought fit to grant it.

To tell you y^e 3rd Chambers up 3. y^e 3rd of Stairs are very
difficult to be Tenanted, & I have y^e Society's Chambers on my hands
ever since Lady day last which I would gladly let for 16^{ty} a y^r
to so good a Tenant.

Mr Belcher has Chambers now in Fountain Court
up 3. pair of Stairs but they are not so large as yours for w^{ch}
he gives but 14^{ty} of Rent. tho' there are two fire places in y^e
& all other conveniences, for a student at y^e S^c have. He says
he will not allow his Son to have a Chamber for fear of making
an ill choice, so that their being so large will be an advantage
to him.

I shall obey your Commands herein as well as I can,
& beg my humble Service may be acceptable by y^e Lady &
y^e young Ladies, while I assure you that I am

Revd Sir y^r most obed^t humble
serv^t
Henry Newman

To the Rev.
Mr. John Drake
at Westworth Yorksh.

Rev. S.

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Lon Don. 12. Dec^r. 1738.

I wrote to you the 24th of June last
in answer to your favour of y^e 26th of May
at w^{ch} time I sent you all y^e Receipts I
had taken on y^e acco. from y^e Amicable
Society to Missusm^r last.

I have been expecting all the last
Quarter of y^e Answer to my said letter,
wth y^e usual draught on y^e Augmentat.
Office due at Mich^{as} last of B. C. w.
Office will be shut up at Christmas
next till Lady day, but not hearing
from you I conclude you have committed
some other friend to receive it, & make
the paym^t at y^e Amicable Society as
usual you will please only ~~the~~
remember there is due to y^e Society
for 2^d Packets, and me for Money
advanced £. 12. 10. I hope y^e Packet
desired last week safe to y^e hands,
and beg you to believe y^e f. am
My humble service
to y^e good old Rev^d. for
Father if living.

E. S^r. Hans Hoare

Bartlet's Buildings

13. Dec^r. 1738

According to the indulgence you was pleas'd
to give Capt. Flower and his friend, waiting on you to
see y^e Curio^sities from S^r. y^e most

To the Rev.
Mr. Arch. Deane
at Lambeth.

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Bartlett's Buildings.
London. 14. Decr 1738.

Rev. Sir

The same Lett.
sent to.

Mr. Lijzenhagen.

Mr. Tillard.

Mr. Hoare.

Gov. Jennings.

Last Tuesday the Society agreed to desire you
would be pleased to give y^r. Company next Tuesday morn.
by 9. o'clock at this Place as one of the Committee desired
to prepare Answers to Letters from Missionaries
and other Correspond^{ts} in East India last year, on which
Occasion they hope you may be able to favour them wth
y^r. Company. I am

Rev. Sir

y^r. most obed^t. humble
serv^t.

Henry Newman.

London. 12. Decr 1738.

To S^r. Erasmus Philippus
at Rome

Dear S^r. Erasmus

Sent Via
Holland.

13. 19. Decr

Sent Mr. J. Philippus
Letter wth Holl^d.

I receiv'd y^r. favour of the 3^d of
Nov^r. N. S. from Naples, and am sorry to find both mine di-
rected to you at Sienna of the 31st of Aug. & 16. of Oct. are
not coming to your hands though for expedition they were
acknowledging y^r. of the 28. July from Geneva. This therefore goes by the
sent by the way of Paris. I hope you may re-
ceive them ^{others} at last, except the direction of the 1st. at Sienna
en Florence should cause its miscarriage. They both co-
ver'd letters from y^r. Brother and I should have return'd
this acknowledg^{mt}. sooner had I not daily expected
a letter from him to accompany this in answer to ^{your} that
which I forwarded to him as soon as it came to my
hands. & thanks y^r. Mr. Tillard desires me to return his humble
service to you for the letter which directed to him.
I rec'd the enclosed about a week since, and forward
it for fear the contents of it may be of importance to
you or the writer of it. The Parliament is prorogued
to Thursday. 18. Jan^y when they are to sit to do business.
All y^r. friends here are well, & rejoyce to hear that
foreign air agrees with you. ~~as it does~~. May it continue
to do so, and establish your health so as to return you to us ^{soon}
soon as y^r. affairs may permit. Dr. Williams and several
other

other of y^r. friends inquisitive of y^r. health send their
Compliments to you. I ~~don't~~ ^{congratulate you on} your happiness in being
at a place so famous in History, because I know 'tis agree-
=able to y^r. taste. I am Dear^d. y^r. most humble Serv^t.

Before sealing I receive a letter

from S^r. John Gordon with these words

"I shall be glad to know when you expect

"S^r. Erasmus Philipps in England by reason a p^r

"of mind has some business with him.

To the Rev^d. M^r. Whitefield
at M^r. Bray's a Disser
in Little Britain.

Bartlet's Building,
19. Dec^r. 1738.

Rev^d. S^r. Soon after you left the Com:
this morn. they reflected that it might give offence to the
Trustees for Georgia if ~~an~~ ^{an} application ~~was~~ ^{was} to the Publick
should be made towards building a Church for the Saltzberg^r
~~at Savannah in Georgia~~ ^{without their privity}. They ~~therefore~~ ^{recommend to you} ~~desire if~~ ^{or otherwise this will}

you wait upon the Trustees to morrow, that you
would signify your ~~charitable intention~~ ^{inclination to the design} of ~~preaching~~ ^{preaching} a
Sermon ~~in person~~ ^{if they approve of it} for promoting so necessary a fabric^t
for the Service of Religion among the Saltzbergers.
Com:

They will be glad to see you at their Meeting this day
evening, & ~~the~~ ^{as} ~~we~~ ^{are} ~~time~~ ^{able} to believe that I am

Rev^d. S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t.

To the Rev^d. Mess^{rs}. Bolzius &
Gronau at Wewer in Georgia.

London. 19. Dec^r. 1738.

Rev^d. S^r. Herewith I send a copy of my last of the
8th of August, and now acknowledge the Rec^t. of y^r. of 26. Aug.
by the Rev^d. M^r. Whitefield, who I am glad to tell you is happily
arriv^d ^{by the way of Ireland} and this day deliver'd y^r. packet to M^r. Ziegenhagen
which I hope he may acknowledge the Rec^t. of by this Ship.
The Difficulty of returning y^r. Salaries from Am^{er} in Copper money
has induced the Society to order me to repeat my last Letter, &
if no opportunity of sending y^r. till next Spring offers, you may
then expect a years remittance at once unless you can fall
into the method propos'd in the letter herewith sent.

The Society

The America
By Capt.
Gerald.
via S. Carolina.

(37) The Society were glad to understand by y^r. Letter and Mr. Whitfield's report that y^r. Flock enjoys such a measure of health as God is pleas'd to bless them with, may you and they long partake of his goodness which is extended to the uttermost parts of the Earth is the wish of all y^r. friends here particularly of Rev. S^r.
 Mr. Whitfield seems resolv'd God willing to return to Georgia in the Spring.
 Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
 H. N.

To the Rev. W. Griffith Jones
 at Llandovery Carmarth.

London. 19. Dec^r. 1738.

Rev. S^r. I rec'd y^r. favour of the 6th Inst. with the 3. Bills which accompany'd it. W. Thord immediately p^d 25:-- and this day I rec'd the Bill on Mess^{rs}. Horn & Duple. 9: 6: 10. And the Society this day order'd W. A. Deac. Debit to pay y^r. Bill for making. 7: 6: 0

which shall be apply'd as you have directed, and M^r. Mount's Rec^t on y^r. Bill for 40: 8. returned as soon as paid. 41: 13: 6

The Society have this day agreed to pay for the binding of all the welde Bibles which W^m. Downing shall furnish you wth. I pray God continue y^r. health so well employ'd to his glory. As you found benefit by the Bath y^r. friends here wish you would make use of that again when you can get leisure to attend it. I may God to direct you for the best and am

W. Whitfield is happily returned Rev. S^r. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
 by the way of Ireland and this day attended the Society for the 1st time. I gave W. Thord an extract of y^r. last Let^r as you desir'd, and wth w^{ch} the Society were much pleas'd. I just now rec'd the enclos'd from W^m. Downing.

To Mess^{rs}. Bodley & Grouse
 at Newzer in Georgia

London. 23. Dec^r. 1738.

Rev. S^r. Since writing the 19th Inst. by this Ship I have confer'd with W. Simonds an eminent Merch^t here who trades much to So. Carolina & Georgia, and he tells me His Bro^r. in Law W^m. Montague at Pyns Brough or W^m. Pury at Savannah will take y^r. Bills on W^m. Tiltard for the Cust^l Exch. that shall then govern at Savannah without expecting 6^d in the pound for Comissions as is taken at Charlestown, and that he has wrote to them by this Ship accordingly. This goes under cover to Gen^l. Oglethorpe for sure conveyance to you from
 Rev. S^r. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
 H. N.

To John Phillips Esq.
at Kilgetty by Tenby Bagg
So. Wales.

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London. 23. Dec. 1738

Dear Sir. I recd y^r. of 16. th from Bath ^{with one} ^{at Rome}
enclos'd for s^r. Erasmus which I immediately forwarded to him
last Tuesday by the way of Halland, having wrote to him a week before
that I had defer'd writing to him for 2. or 3. Posts in expecta-
tion of hearing from you, but now I ^{find} the reason of
y^r. Silence was y^r. being at Bath. I hope you find all
y^r. family well & y^r. return to Kilgetty to whom please to
make my humble service acceptable and from
y^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t. H. N.

To the Rev^d. Mr. John Diake.
at Wentworth in Yorkshire.

London. 23. Dec. 1738.

Rev^d. Sir

I have 2. Lett^{rs}. from you to acknowledge
the Rec^d. of viz. of the 12. th & 10. th Rec^d. by y^e. last of which I
find you never recd. my Lett^r. of the 24. June last wth the Rec^d.
from y^e. Amicable Society, that accompanied it, the miscarriage of
which I can't exc^{use} for unless it happen'd to be in the northern
Mail that was robb'd last Summer & never yet recover'd, it is well
for me that I have kept a Copy of my Letter then, of which I now
send a copy, which if you compare wth my Lett^r. of y^e. 6. Dec^r. 1737.
& 21. Feb^r. last you will see the Account between us particularly
stated, and whether any mistake has happen'd which on my part
I shall be always ready to rectify.

I keep Mr. Tillard's rec^d. for 7. 3. 6 to vouch for my having
p^d. him on y^e. Rec^d. for a Packet 3. Sept. 1736. 6. 9. 6.
And another Packet May 2. 1737. 14. -

And this & my former Lett^r. of the 6. th of Dec^r. 1737. are 7. 3. 6
vouchers ag^t. me that you are acquitted. Your last Bill on
Mr. Elwes for 3. came just the last Day before the holidays when
recd. or could not have been paid till Saturday next. So that y^e. Rec^d.
now stands as follows viz.

22. Dec ^r . 1738. Recd. for y ^e . Hire of Brighton of	} 3. - -
Mr. Elwes one half years interest due at Christmas last	
From whence deducting the Balance of y ^e . Rec ^d .	} 2. 12. 10
in Time last ac ^t . Copy now sent.	
There remains in my hands to be paid to	} - 7. 2
Your order on Demand.	

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(39) I concluded by y^r. Silence the last six months that you had rather
engag'd some other Friend in Town to ease me of the Payments
at the Amicable Society, which I must be to be discharged of -
as laying a burthen upon me not consistent wth my Duty to
500. other Members of the Society. If there is any mistake
in the Account between us now stated pray let me know it &
it shall be rectify'd; y^r. Last signifies there is but one packet
owing for, but by comparing this wth the 2 former Letters
referred to, you'll find 2. packets owing for, but if I can't convince
you of that, without sending copies of those Lett^{rs}. I have
referred to, I shall do it notwithstanding all the trouble it
may give my Clerk or me to transcribe them. I am

Rev^d Sir y^r. most humble serv^t
Henry Newman

To the Rev^d. Mr. Giff. Jones
at Landon in Cornarthen W.
Rev^d Sir

Partlet's Buildings
23. Dec^r. 1738.

I have paid since my last of the 19th. Cur^t.
your Bill on me to Mess^{rs}. Mount & Page y^r. but don't
return it to you till I can send also Mr. Tillard's Rec^t.
for Books to discharge all y^r. remittances to me by y^r.
Lett^{rs}. of 4th. Cur^t.

The enclosed I just now rec^d. from Mr. Pittfield
wth a desire that it might be forwarded to you by this
Post, which is the reason of y^r. having this from

Rev^d Sir

To the Rev^d. Mr. Gibb
at Bristol. Rev^d Sir

y^r. most humble serv^t
Henry Newman
London. 23. Dec^r. 1738.

I rec^d. y^r. favour of the 15th. Cur^t. and have
according to y^r. order agreed with Mr. Purcas to put the Cham-
-bers in repair, and give him possession as soon as I can
after ~~xmas~~ ^{for 16. June. 1739.} but he expects not to begin the Rent till Lady Day
because the Quarters ^{before} will be begun, but this we shall settle
when we come to articles of agreement. This week I rec^d. y^r.
Half Years Rent being 9. Guineas of Mr. Danvers & he at
~~xmas last~~ ¹⁷³⁷ and he promises the Rent for last Year shall
be paid soon after the Holidays. My humble service to y^r.
I beg the enclosed may be forwarded to Mr. Adams.

H. N.

To the Rev. Mr Morgan,
at Brightwell Berke.

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Bartlett's Buildings
4th Jan. 1738.

Rev. Sir

Mr Newman has for ~~ten~~ days past been
confined by a violent fever and not able to dispatch business
therefore orders me to acquaint you that upon Rec^d. of y^r. Rec^d.
of the 16th last month, y^r. Acct. with the Society was
re-examined when it appeared that the sum of $4^{\text{li}} 12^{\text{s}} 6^{\text{d}}$
was paid by y^r. order in Aug. 1734. in full discharge of y^r.
debt to the Society, which by mistake not being bro^t. collect^d.
in Mr. Tillard's book was the ~~main~~ reason Mr. Newman
wrote to remind you of it supposing the money was not
paid but the Error is now rectified and you are wholly
discharged ~~both~~ both in the Society's & bookkeeper's Acct.

I am Rev. Sir

G. S.

To the Rev. Mr. Griff. Jones
at Landon in Glamorganshire.
Rev. Sir

London.

4th Jan. 1738.

Mr Newman was some days ^{ago} ~~just~~ attacked by
a ~~very~~ violent fever which tho' ~~tho~~ God be thanked, some what
abated yet renders him incapable of writing. he therefore orders
me to send you the enclosed Rec^d. by which you will see
that he has punctually applied y^r. remittance of
 $\pounds 41^{\text{li}} 13^{\text{s}} 6^{\text{d}}$. according to the directions in y^r. ^{letter} of the 6th
last month. Viz.

21st Dec. 1738. p. Mess^{rs}. Mount & Co. for welch Bibles. 40^{li}

2^d Jan. 1738. p. Mr. Tillard Esq^r for welch latechisms $1^{\text{li}} 13^{\text{s}} 6^{\text{d}}$

in all $\pounds 41^{\text{li}} 13^{\text{s}} 6^{\text{d}}$

being the value of y^r. last remittance.

Mr Newman heartily wishes the recovery of y^r.
health, and that this New year may enable you to
accomplish those good works in which you are so
zealously engaged

I am Rev. Sir

G. S.

Y^r. friends in the Society
are well & will be glad to hear
that you are recovered.

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Copy of the 2 Rec^{ts} enclosed in the foregoing Letter
to Mr. Griffith Jones 4th Jan. 1730. Sent under
a Cover directed to Arthur Bevan Esq. Memb^r. of Parl. &c.

To Mr. Newman
Sir

Landowor Dec^r. 13. 1730.

Pursuant to y^e Request of my Let^r.
of the 11th Instant with Bills therein inclos^d amount-
ing to Sum of Forty one pounds Thirteen Shill^{ings} & Six pence
whereof please to pay to Mess^{rs}. Mount and Caze on
their Order (bringing their full Rec^t. for same) The
Sum of Forty Comms for two hundred and twenty
Welsh Bibles wth Common pray^r. Apocrypha &
Singing Psalms, bound in calf, will much oblige

Y^r. Obed^t Humble Serv^t.
G. Jones.

The Rev^d. Mr Griffith Jones Prot^r of Mount
& Caze 6. Dec^r. 1730.

220. Welsh Bible wth Apocrypha twice & 400
Psalms bound in calf

Rec^d. 21. Dec^r. 1730. the above contents by
Mr Henry Newman in full for Mr Griffith
Jones of all demands.

For self &c. Mount

Rec^d. 2. Jan^y. 1730 of y^e Reverend Mr
Griffith Jones by y^e hands of Mr Newman the
Sum of one pound thirteen Shill^{ings} & six pence
for Books sent him by ord^r of the Society, I say
rec^d.
of me W. M. Tillard.

To the Rev. Mr. Salway
at Rich. d. Castle near Ludlow
Shropshire.

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Bottle's Buildings.
13. Jan. 7 1730/9.

Rev. Sir

Y^r. favour of 4th 12. of last month
had been sooner answered but that I have been for 3 ^{weeks} past
confined by a violent fever and am still obliged to make
use of an Ammoniac which I hope you will excuse, your
Lett^r. for Mr. Whitefield I delivered to him & heartily wish it
may have the desired effect. Mr. Whitefield having declared
his intention to return to Georgia y^e. Benefaction of 3. 12. - was
paid to him last Tuesday 5th the approbation of the Society for
the use of the poor in y^e. Colony according to your directions. -
Our Mr. Penger tells me that 4th 12. Aug^r last he left at the
George Inn Aldersgate Street a packet directed for you containing
J. Conybeares Sermon and other Tracts lately imported into the
Society's Store and enclosing a Packet for Rich. Salway Esq^r.
which Packet not being come to y^e. hands, on Saturday 16. Past
month, he sent a packet of the same contents from y^e. George
Inn Aldersgate Street by Welling Carriage paid 1. which I hope
you rec^d. in due time.

The Society are very much obliged to you for all the
y^e. favours to their designs and thanks for you for this last
to Georgia by Mr. Whitefield.

Mr. Jones's Bill on Mr. Elton for the 3. 12. - was made
payable to Mr. Newnham by mistake, but as Mr. Elton knew
y^e. hand as well as Mr. Jones's he was so kind as to save me the
trouble of returning the Bill to rectify it. I have sub-
joynd a copy of Mr. Whitefield's Rec^d. for y^e. 3. 12. which I
hope he thanks you for & also for your kind Lett^r. of
fatherly advice to him. I am

Jan. 9. 1730/9.

Rev. Sir

Rec^d. of Mr. Henry Newman
The sum of three pounds twelve Shillings
being the Benefaction of y^e. Rev. Mr. Salway
for y^e. poor of Georgia from George Whitefield
Rec^d. for Mr. Whitefield

Y^r. most Obedient humble

Serv^t

Henry Newman

J^r. John Browne.

To the Rev^d W. Ziegenhagen
at Kensington Square
Rev^d Sir

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Bartlett's Buildings
24. Jan^y 1738/9

I this day lodg'd at the Treasury of
the East India House on y^e Acc^t. for the Mission
at Tranquebar 3747. ounces of p^l. of S. which at
5.4¹/₂ p^l. oz. cost 1007. s. and at the same time
for the Salaries at Madras & Cudalore .. 576. 15. -
For W^m. Hollis a Baggs for Tranquebar .. 392. - -
wch. with y^e. 4. Baggs .. 3747. - - -
makes .. 4715. 15. -

They allow me to call there next week
to see them weigh'd off & pack'd, so that if I leave
y^e. letters by this day tonight they'll be time enough
I send herewith copies of what was brought
from the press yesterday after you left the Society.
I am, Rev^d Sir, y^r. most humble Serv^t.

P. S.

H. N.

I persuaded the Goldsmith to abate the 8th part
of a penny which he insisted on last week, wch
saves to ^{you} about 39^s. for y^e. part.

The Normanton Capt. Keymer is got to Gravesend
so that I shall ship the other things as fast as I
can. I have bespoken 2. Chests of Beer
for you for Tranquebar. One of which I think
you design as a present, and the other to be paid
for by the Missionaries, beside the 2. Chests from
the Society for Tranquebar & the Missionaries at
Madras & Cudalore.

My most humble Service to Prof. Frank and his
Bro^r. when you write.

I am glad y^e Missionaries at Ebenezer are got into
the way of drawing for their salaries wch saves much
expense and rigour. I forgot to tell you yesterday
that W^m. Tillard was so kind as to give me his Bill on
the Bank for y^e. 2. foreign Bills of 185. l. which
you will thank him for at y^e. Office.

To M^r. Geo. Barry Serj^t in (44)
the Garrison at Gibraltar
J^r

Bartlet's, Buildings
London. 20. Jan^y 1738/9

Y^r. letter of the 15th of Nov^r. last having
been communicated to the Society ^{in this City} for Promoting Christian
Knowledge ^{in this City} ~~I am order'd~~ to desire ~~you~~ they were so
pleas'd with ^{the} Contents of it, that they have order'd a
present to be made to you of the books ^{within} ~~above~~ mentioned
~~which are~~ recommended to M^r. Hutton's care to be forward-
ed to you. ^{and y^r. friends seem to have} You made so good a use of the
former parcels sent you to Gibraltar recommended to the
care of the Rev^d. D^r. Cunningham and M^r. Whitefield
that the Society were easily induced to ~~complement~~
make you this present for the religious ~~Societ~~ and
well disposed Soldiers in the Garrison of Gibraltar
and they leave it to your discretion to send such
proportion of them as you shall think proper to the
well disposed ^{honest} Soldiers at Port Mahon. The Society will
be glad to hear of these books going safe to your
hands and to be inform'd whether more of them may
be ^{wanting} acceptable. You may direct to me at Bartlet's,
Buildings London; wishing you health & success in all
your laudable endeavours for the service of true Religion
I remain J^r. Y^r. very humble Serv^t.

H. N.

To the Hon^{ble}. Gov^r. Braddon
~~Presid^t~~ at Fort St^t. George in E. India
Sir

Bartlet's, Buildings
London. 25. Jan^y 1738/9

Enc^d

I had the honour of y^r. very obliging
letter of the 23^d. of Feb^r. last by the Royal Guardian
and having acquainted the Society here with the Con-
tents of it, they were very much pleas'd with your
favourable acceptance of the complement they made
tosh the lifesty of making to invite you to be a Cor-
responding Member, and ^{that you so readily} ~~to your~~ vouchsafing your Protection
to the

to the Protestant Missionaries on the Coast of Coroman-
del both in the English and Danish Establishm^t
for which favours I am oblig'd in the most respect-
-full manner to desire ^{as I now do} y^r. acceptance of the Thanks
of the Society.

The separation of the British Missionaries they
hope will effectually put in oblivion the animosities
which hinder'd the ^{design} ~~progress~~ of the Mission at
Madras, and that both parties may be animated
to greater industry in discharge of their Functions
in their ^{present} ~~respective~~ Stations

The Society ~~do not~~ ^{of the continued} ~~recommen~~
-tionary remaining at Madras, and are very sensi-
-ble that the kind reception ^{to the continuance of your favours} giving to ^{the Missionaries} ~~those~~ at
Cudalore was owing to y^r. kind recommendations
of them to W. Hubbard and the Council ^{at Fort St. David.} there.

They ^{Society} take the liberty of recommending to y^r. regard
any applications that may be made to y^r. Honour
by their Society's Correspond^t at Fort St. George in
behalf of the Mission, or by the Missionaries them-
-selves & may y^r. acceptance of a small parcel
of the books lately imported into their Store and
sent in the Northampton, by which you will be ap-
-priz'd of the progress made in other branches of
their Designs.

May your Administration be always attended with
success equal to y^r. own wishes ^{the glory of God, and} for the honour of the
East India Comp^y. and y^r. own interest, are the
perpetual wishes of the Society, as well as of

Honoured S^t. y^r. most obed^t. humble
serv^t.

To the Rev^d Mess^{rs} Wynne & Chaplains
Howard - - }
and to Mess^{rs} Fowke, Morse, Toriano
Rowe, and Johnson Merch^{ts} at

46 Bartlett's Building,
London. 26. Jan^y. 1738/9

Ent. 8

Fort St. George Gentlemen The Society receiv'd
by the Royal Guardian in August last the favour
of M^r. Howard's Letter in your names concerning the
in answer to their Letters of 1736. They hope you
have since receiv'd their Letters of the 13. Dec^r. 1737.
& 28th of January following, and are glad to understand
by M^r. Howard, and the Missionaries Letters the conti-
-nuance of your favourable disposition towards
them and their Mission, and I am order'd particu-
-larly to thank you for y^r. good Office in procuring the
~~Battams of Cash in the Missionaries~~ liberty of lodging
1000. Pagodas in the Church Stock, ~~which the Missiona-~~
~~-ries had placed in private of the Cash in the hands~~
of the Missionaries.

The Society hope their separation will effectually
reconcile the animosities which had hitherto baffled
and frustrated all the intentions of the Society and
the wholesome advices of their Correspond^{ts} in India,
for the furtherance of the Mission: They hope that
by the continuance of your good Office, and the
generous interposition of the Gov^r. who has in very
obliging terms signify'd his resolution to protect them
and to countenance any application from you in
their favour, that all past grudges will be bury'd
in oblivion, and a perpetual amity shew it self in
all future occurrences for establishing the Mission, both
at Madras and Cudalore.

The Society would have been glad if an European Assis-
-tant could have been found, qualify'd to ease M^r. Schultze
in his indefatigable labours, but ^{Howard} seems to have deny'd them
and

See this Letter as amended by M^r. Arch. Dea. Deane & approved by the Society

and the wellwisher ⁽⁴⁶⁾ to the Mission that pleasure, perhaps
with a view of enlarging the limits of the Mission for
the propagation of Christianity, if that prove the
Effect, the Society will rejoice in it, and depend on
y^r. ~~friendship~~ ^{friendly} by y^r. advice and influence to favour
all measures tending to it.

It would be a ^{great} pleasure to the Society to ~~see~~ ^{have} see
~~prospect of having~~ ^{possibility} ~~lifelihood~~ ^{lifelihood} that some of the Natives
most promising in their Talents, for the service of ~~Christianity~~ ^{Christianity}
educated under M^r. Schultze, might at least as cate-
-chists ^{if not preachers of the Gospel} be render'd capable of supporting the Mission
founded by him at Madras, when he must sub-
-mit to the Law of Mortality, without which provision
it seems as if the Mission there were to end with
his life, a ^{melancholy} ~~circumstance~~ ^{Catastrophe} ~~that they hope Heaven will~~ ^{Good Providence}
prevent by your ~~wise~~ ^{interposition of your prudent Advice} forecast, and that some of
the more ^{seasonably} ~~discreet~~ ^{set apart} & best instructed converts to ~~Christianity~~ ^{Christianity}
may be ~~made out~~ ^{selected} for this service ~~wherever~~ ^{against such time}
~~the case will shall require their assistance to support it~~ ^{as the Mission grows their own} ~~meek and qualified~~

You know with what difficulty, ~~fit~~ persons are
found ~~here~~ in Europe to undertake the office of a
Missionary. With how great trouble & expence
they are transported hence, ~~and~~ how many
years they must live in India before they can
address the Natives as M^r. Schultze ^{does} can in their
own language. ~~and how great the disproportion of the~~ ^{charge attending the support of}
~~these considerations induced~~ ^{These considerations induced}

an European
and an Indian
Missionary.

the late Amb^{ly} Wake to ~~with~~ ^{advise &} advise that
the more promising youths among the Natives
might be train'd up with a view of succeeding
our European Missionaries, when they had planted
Christianity. The Missionaries at Tranquebar
~~seem to have attempted something of this~~ ^{in the sequestrations} ~~of~~ ^{of}
Pastor Aaron & Rayanahan, with so much success that by
their ~~zeal~~ ^{zeal} labours a large addition has been made to the
number of converts from Heathenism, which 'tis hop'd are
sincere

(47) sincere, but how far, or when such men may be found to assist the Mission at Madras and ^{next to the blessing of God} ~~Endulore~~ ^{is a} matter that ^{will depend on the forecast and industry of} the Missionaries now in being, and your Advice.

The Society will therefore think themselves very much oblig'd to you for any good Offices you may employ to facilitate ~~such~~ an improvement of the best disposed among the Heathen Converts for such a Service whenever the Providence God may make them necessary.

The Society desire your acceptance of the packets directed to each of you with acc't of their last Years proceeding, and recommend to your care the packets now sent by the Normanton for the Service of the Mission according to the Invoice herewith sent, not doubting of yr. goodness to difference with all the trouble that will attend the delivery of them.

May you long enjoy health & prosperity in your respective Stations, and have the pleasure of seeing the Protestant Mission flourish under yr. influence many years to the glory of God and the enlargement of the Christian Church are the sincerest wishes of the Society, and
Gentlemen

To Francis Didenham Esq.
at St. Tho. Apostle.

Yr. most obed^t humble
Serv^t

London. 30th Jan^y 1738/9

S^r. I have examin'd the Bookeller's Bill ^{to yr^s L^ops payment to him letter of 3. Oct. last} for the packet of Bibles & other books sent by order of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge on their terms to make the charge of them answer to the ~~Cost~~ and find the Bookeller's Bill agrees amounting to 13:9:10¹² not including the contingent charges to be agree-
=able to the Terms of the Society. I hope to write to the Gov^y.

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the Gov.^r to continue the same by the Ship
 that carry the Booles, and am
 To the Rev. W. A. D. Deme
 at Vanx hall Lambeth

S.^r & V.^r most humble Serv.^t
 H. N.

Bartlet's Building,
 31. Jan^y 1738/9

Rev.^d S.^r You allow'd me to prepare the letter of
 complement to our Correspond^t in India. I laid the enclosed
 yesterday with a lett.^r to Gov.^r Benyon before the Com. but
 it being near 2. o' clock they refer'd them to the Com: for
 preparing letters for E. India: M.^r Zeig. & M.^r Tiltord were here
 but desir'd to consider them next Tuesday which may be time
 eno^g. In the mean time for fear you should not be able to
 give y^r company, ~~My clerk has made a copy of the Primi-~~
 =pal letter, which containing something more than complement.
 I beg your touches & approbation of it ag^t Tuesday. If you
 remember M.^r Howard's letter contains something harsh & ex=
 =pressious implying repentm^t of the Correspond^t which I take no
 notice of, for I don't think the Society need any apology as
 things were represented to em. But as ~~they~~ ^{the Correspond^t} have not wrote
 to the Society a joint letter since 1735. it seems necessary to
~~show~~ signify that the Society lay no blame upon their conduct
 to ~~animate their Zeal for the future~~, as the letter of last year did
 not. M.^r Howard is a rigid ^{warm} Man & will allow of no Pastor aarons to
 preach the Gospel without they come over to Eng^d for Episcopal
 ordination, or some Bp goes over to India to ordain them, but
 M.^r Wyndel I know is of more Catholic Principles suited to the
 Case of the Protestant Churches abroad. His letter is without date
 and seems to be wrote officiously in the name of our Correspond^t
 as his own thoughts more than theirs. I am

Rev.^d S.^r y^r M^r H. N.

To Will^m Johnson Esq.
 at Fort S.^t George

Bartlet's Buildings
 London. 26. Jan^y 1738/9

Sir

I receiv'd ^{by M.^r Lawrence} y^r kind letter of the 31st of Jan^y
 last, and having acquainted the Society with the Contents of it,
 they have order'd me in the most respectfull manner as I now
 do to send their Thanks to you for your ready concurrence
 in accepting a Correspondence with them, in order to pro=
 =mote their designs. ^{The Disposition of Providence in}
 placing Men ^{that have a} of Religion here and there in the remotest
 Corners of the world is a ~~very~~ consolation to ~~them~~ ^{at good Men} that by the
 Examples

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Examples and Piety of such Persons Christianity may
in God's ^{due} time shew it self in its Native lustre in the dark
Regions of the world, ~~withstanding the present degree~~
~~the generality of people, ^{show} of whom~~
~~many of ^{are} Christians is the greatest obstruction to the Propagation~~
~~of that Religion with the Blessed ^{of} our Saviour~~
~~came into the world to establish.~~

But how long it may be before that happy period
will come, when the Heathen shall be given to the
Christian Dominion for an inheritance, ~~we~~ ^{is only known} ~~is in the~~
~~hands of~~ the wise Disposer of all things, ~~but~~ in the
mean time it ~~lightly~~ becomes the sincere wellwishers to the
Kingdom of Christ to employ ~~themselves~~ as the instruments
of Providence to employ themselves in laying the
Foundation of ^{such a} general ~~acknowledgment~~ of the Profession
of the Christian Religion as the ^{Holy} Scriptures give us reason
to hope may be ~~establish'd in some future age~~ ^{very} ~~after~~

In this view it is that the Society ^{for some years past} have engaged all
their little Interest in the world, to make the attempt
they have in East India, and to the honour of the
East India Company, it must be owned they have
generously seconded their labours, ^{without} which they could
not have done what they have, for the Protestant Mission
on the Coast of Coromandel.

You will see by the contents of a small Packet
^{chest} sent in E.M. N^o 7. recommended to ~~the~~ by the ^{branches of} ~~Normanton~~ ^{High}
what ~~has~~ ^{done} been made in this and other de-
signs, of which I can ~~assure~~ to desire y^r. acceptance
not doubting of y^r. Zeal to continue y^r. good Offices
with their other Correspondents at Fort S^t. George for
promoting that branch of their Designs which relates
to the Service of Christianity in India.

May it please God to give you Health & long life
and ~~with~~ prosperity in all y^r. ~~private~~ affairs is the constant
wish of the Society as well as

I^r y^r. most obed^t. humble Ser.

To the Rev^d Walther (50)
Mess^{rs} Dal, Boppe, Preßner,
Obuch, Wiedebroch and Kholhoff
Missionaries from His Danish
Majesty at Tranquebar.

London. 29. Jan^y. 1798th

Int^d

Rev^d Sirs The Society rec^d
y^r. ~~very~~ agreeable letters to them of the 20th of Dec^r 1797
and of the 30. of Dec^r the same year to me for which
I am order^d to send their Thanks to you.

The ~~great~~ progress of the Mission under y^r. care
gives them and all the well wishers to it, ^{great} ~~strong~~
consolation, ^{hopes} that you may be the happy ^{lasting} instrument
of propagating Christianity establishing a Christian
Church among the Heathen in the Territories of
Tranquebar and Tanjore.

The Society have order^d ~~every~~ ^{bought and} things you order^d
by W. Ziegenhagen to be sent to you, and in the
Normanton Capt. Kenig^s and they are recommended
to the care of their Correspond^t at Fort S^t. George
to be forwarded to you as usual. Only the article of
1. Hund^{red} wt. of Lead is omitted because the East-
India Company here have sent a large quantity of
that Commodity to their Magazine at Fort S^t. George
from whence you may have it ~~as you want it~~ at a
reasonable price as you want it.

You will see by the Invoice herewith sent what
things are ~~sent~~ ^{shipp^d} in the Normanton on your
account; The ^{in Dec^r. 1797. M.Z. N^o 6. 3747. oz.} Article of Money is wholly from
M^r. Ziegenhagen, from whom y^e will receive In-
structions concerning the application to be made of it.
There is ^{also} a Bagg put up in the Madras Chest ~~mark^d~~
E.M. N^o 12. mark^d N^o 5. Tranquebar by M^r. Hollis
containing 392. Oz. concerning which you will receive
Directions from M^r. Hollis for the application of it.

The Society congratulate you on the late arrival of
Mess^{rs} Obuch, Wiedebroch & Kholhoff, to supply the place
Vacancies ^{which} Mortality had made among your
Brethren ^{particularly of y^r. late worthy colleague M^r. Preßner} and look upon it as a happy omen of success
to y^r. Mission that they arriv^d at a juncture when
their Assistance was so much wanted.

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The Society are glad to find good Providence has rais'd up such Assistance as you have by the Labours of Pastor Aaron, Diego, and Rayanapen, and ^{hoping} their lives may be continued many Years for the Service of Christianity, and that by their Example others may be induced to engage themselves in the like Service when they are qualify'd for it.

They recommend to your good Offices the Missions at Madras and Cudalore, and thank you for what you have already done towards in favour of those Establishments.

They hope ~~by your assistance~~ the differences which have hitherto hinder'd the Success of the Mission at Madras, ~~as they have occasion'd~~ may be bury'd in Oblivion, and as they have providentially occasion'd the opening another Mission, ^{they} may by y^r. friendly Correspondence ~~gain~~ become flourishing establishments for the Service of Christianity.

I have put up several large packets of Letters for you in the Chest E.M. N^o. 7. which could not with decency be sent in the Company's packet, but will I hope go safe to y^r. hands though not so soon as some others sent in their Dispatches.

Your late good friend Arch Bp Wake is succeeded by the most Rev^d. D^r. Potter formerly Bishop as Arch Bp of Cant. Being translated from the Bishoprick of Oxford where he had many years shined as a learned Prelate of the Church here, and if you begin a Correspondence with His Grace by a particular Address to him, there ~~is~~ no reason to doubt but it will be very acceptable to him. W. Tiegenhagen and I have endeavour'd to wait on His Grace to make y^r. compliments to him, but an affliction his family was then under prevented us which may hereafter be done. ^{The Society would do with you in the death of your worthy Colleagues who sign y^r. last time.} May it please ^{God} to continue his Blessing on you and

all y^r.

(52) ^{and your} all your fellow labourers endeavours for the
enlargement of the Christian Church, to his glory
and the Salvation of Men by Christ Jesus is the
constant wish of the Society and all y^r. friends
here particularly of

^{in the Company's publick} I put up at the desire ^{Rev^d S^r of S^r. most obed.^t}
of W. Liegenhagen a large
packet for you from the College
at Copenhagen, with several other
letters.

To the Hon^{ble}
Gov^r. Hubbard
at Fort S^t. David

London. 29. Jan^y. 1738/9

S^r. The Society for Promoting Christian
Knowledge having been inform'd by Mess^{rs}. Sartorius
and Queister how kindly they were receiv'd by
you ^{upon their} arrival at Fort S^t. David to ~~endeavour~~
~~the~~ beginning of their instruction of the Heathens at
Cudulore & other places under y^r. Jurisdiction,
in the ~~Principles~~ Knowledge of Christianity, I am
order'd to desire y^r. acceptance of their Thanks for
it, and also of a small packet of their books re=
commended to the care of the Society's Correspond^{ts} at
Fort S^t. George.

May your Administration be always prosperous
for your honour, and the interest of the East India
Company in the Count Providence has plac'd you
is the wish of the Society as well as

S^r. Y^r. most obed^t. humble
Servant

To William Rider Esq.
in Essex Street.

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Bartlett's Building,
3. Feb^y 1738/9

Sir I am very much oblig'd to ^{you} ~~you~~
and so are all those that wish well to the Mission
in East India ^{to thank you} for y^r. good Offices ^{yesterday} in obtaining the
order of Court for suffering the Silver for the
Service of the Mission to be ship'd on the Nor-
-wanton ^{as usual} freight free. May I ^{and the Company} ~~may I~~ attend all
^{particulars} ~~particulars~~ ^{in return to the} ~~particulars~~ y^r. interests
in the Ship that carries this Silver is the Liners
with of I^r. Y^r. most obliged humble
Serv^t. H. N.

To W. Zachariah Gee

Merch^t at Bengal

Dear S^r.

London. 3. Feb^y 1738/9

I rec'd y^r. favour of the 28th
of Nov^r. 1737. and acquainted the Society with the Contents
of it, who were glad to hear of y^r. health, and thank you
for y^r. good wishes to their designs. They desire your
acceptance of a small packet of their Books as usual
sent by the Normanton in E.M. N^o 7. I have sent
a packet also to Gov^r. Staunton this it seems dubious
whether he mayn't be on his return home before it
reach his hands. W. Bellamy I hear is dead and
therefore I have sent none to him, and if Gov^r. Staun-
-ton should be come from Bengal, it is recommended
to you to ~~dispose of it~~ ^{define} to his Successor ^{in Command} to accept of it,
whose name you will please to signify. The most Rev^d.
D^r Potter late Bp of Oxford succeeds Arch Bp Wake. The
Society are much oblig'd to you for the recommendations of
several worthy persons at Bombay and Bengal to their Correspond-
-ing Members. Gov^r. Law at Bombay has shewn a great
Zeal for furnishing at his own Expence the Poor families in
his Government with a large parcel of Bibles & other religious
Books on the Terms of the Society, which are sent to him
by the Ships now going. As to the State of the Mission
at

at Madras, Cudalore, and Tranquebar you will know what we do of it by the printed Acc^t now sent.

My humble Service to y^r. Lady, Son, and the rest of your family whom I have the honour to be known to. S^r Erasmus Philipps is gone to Italy for his health where he has found much benefit. His Bro^r is well in Wales. W. Tiffard is well and I doubt not writes to you by this conveyance. I heartily wish you and y^r. family all manner of prosperity & remain

Dear S^r. W^m. most humble Serv^t
To the Hon^{ble}

Gov^r. Benyon at Fort S^t. George

London. 3. Feb^r. 1738/9

Hon^{ble}. S^r. ~~at the request of~~
and Nephew of M^r. Matthews of that place, ~~desiring me to recommend~~
George, returning ^{at his desire} in the quality of a Midshipman
on board the Normanton, I take leave to recommend him
to y^r. Protection and favour wherein you shall think
him worthy as a promising youth, ~~affixing to him a useful~~
~~factor in the Company's Service: he has been one very age~~
to China in the Royal Guardian ^{and so far not a little}
improv'd him in the art of Navigation ^{which has very much}
being in time capable of serving in that ^{direction} under the ^{case} of Capt.
Hoadley, ~~that if he may be thought worthy of y^r. smiles~~
~~that his friends will be thought worthy of your~~
~~smiles as occasion shall offer when experience has quali-~~
~~fy'd him for them.~~ The Min^{rs}. & Church Wardens at Fort S^t. Geo.
are his friends, ^{who} will be very thankful for any Countenance
that y^r. Honour shall please to shew him, when occasion
offers, as well as S^r.

To the Rev^d. Dⁿ. Heylin
at Hampstead

Bartlet's Buildings
6. Feb^r. 1738.

Rev^d. S^r. My Lord Bishop of Bristol
having been propos'd by you to the Society here for a Subscribing
Member His Lordship was this day at a full Meeting unanimous-
ly chosen, and I was order'd to desire you would acquaint His
Lordship therewith, and invite him to ~~honour~~ their Society's
his presence & advice at their Meeting here any Tuesday
Morn. ~~between~~ after 11. o' Clock when it may ~~confer~~ be as
agreeable to His Lordship & you to ~~honour~~ ^{honour} them with
W^m. company. I have sent ^{accompany} a copy of their Standing Rules with
an Acc^t

(55) an Acct. of the ~~Design~~ Society which perhaps
may be acceptable to His Lordship to apprise him of
their Design. I am Rev. S.^r

To the Rev. W. Jones
at Landow or Carmarthen.

Y^r. most obed.
humble Serv.
London. 10. Feb. 1738/9

Rev. S.^r

I receiv'd y^r. favours of the 4th. of last
Month when I was confin'd to my Chamber by a fever
which thank God is remov'd by ~~the~~ his Blessing on the use
of proper means. I am glad to hear at the same time
that it has pleas'd God to restore much of y^r. health &
with it may be perfected. W.^m Green y^r. late Ben-
=treps call'd on me this Even. and desires me to let you
know that My Lady Catharine Jones remembers you
and intends to contribute to y^r. School. ^{from S. John Golden Bnd} Being ^{Home}
Eldest son of our Treasurer has a Commission to pay
you annually 5. l. or 5. Guineas from the 1st. of Jan.
last, the 1st. of which paym^t. he is ready to make now
whenever you draw upon him, he only speaks ^{to me} by his
memory from a letter he had receiv'd so if you draw
your Bill for five I'll fill it up, and pay it as you
shall order. I rec'd and deliver'd y^r. 4. papers to
W. Theobald who I presume has wrote to you of them.
W.^m Downing has promis'd me an Answer to y^r. last
letter as soon as she can, which I shall send under
one of the papers W. Pervan has been so kind as to
furnish me with. I am Rev. S.^r Y^r. most humble
W. Whitefield I hear is gone
to Gloucester. &c.

To the Rev. M. Schultze
at Fort S.^t George

London. 8. Feb. 1738/9

Rev. S.^r Being ~~indisposed~~ ^{by an indisposition} and confin'd
to my Chamber when the things sent this year to Fort S.^t
George were pack'd up, it was forgot to send you or any
of y^r. Colleagues the Quarterly ~~Rev~~ Registers of News, and there=
=fore

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therefore I am oblig'd to send 'em in this manner w.th
the Letter in the Company's packet, and I shall be
oblig'd to you to make an apology for me to your
Brethren at Cadulore and Tranquebar, and to send
to them when you can spare the 4 ^{them} parcels ^{are w.th}
sent. I presume they are sent ^{a or some other} to our ^{Correspond.^t} at
Fort S.^t George, & if not, that you will with pleasure oblige
them, with a personal I am

Rev. S.^t & Y.^r most humble Serv.^t

To the Rev. W. Schultze
at Madras near
Fort S.^t George

London. 9th Feb.^y 1738/9

Rev. S.^t I have wrote to you very par-
ticularly ~~the 23^d of last month~~ by order of the Society the
23^d of last month in ans.^r to y.^r several Letters of last year,
to which I beg leave to refer you. This covers an In-
voice of what is sent for the Service of the Mission ^{this year} on board
the Normantou, ~~to~~ Capt. Kenney, wherein if there are
not so many parcels sent to you as to y.^r Brethren at Lu-
chore & Tranquebar, 'tis because you desired nothing, &
that your friends here were willing to be inform'd more
fully of the recommitation between you & y.^r Brethren, w.^{ch}
I hope will be perfectly establish'd before this reach y.^r
hands.

I am sorry that ~~the~~ Society's Correspond.^t at Fort
S.^t George and you will have ^{much} some trouble in taking out and
repacking the things sent in E.M. N^o 7. the Reason of w.^{ch}
you will perceive was, to save the charge of Sealing so many
small parcels ^{each of} w.^{ch} cost here to the officer 2^d. ~~for each~~ and E.M. N^o 12
has a Bag of Silver from W. Hollis for the Missionaries at
Tranquebar which I beg you will convey w.th their other
Things. I heartily wish you health & success in y.^r labours
and hope you will never want the Assistance & Advice of the Society's
Correspond.^t at Fort S.^t George to facilitate y.^r progress in the work of
the Mission, in which you have the ^{heartly} wishes of the Society as well as
those of

Rev. S.^t Your most humble Servant

To Mess.^{rs} Sartorius & Queister
at Cadulore. Fort S.^t David

London. 9th Feb.^y 1738/9

Rev. S.^t I have wrote to you particularly by order of the Society
the 23^d of last month in ans.^r to y.^r several Letters of last year to which
I beg

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leave to refer you. This covers an Invoice of what is sent for the
Service of the Mission at Cadulore on board the Normanton Capt. Kemney,
recommended to the care of the Society's Correspond^t at Fort St. George
who is to be forwarded to you. I have wrote by this ship Normanton
to Gov^r. Hubbard to thank him for his Civilities to you on y^r. arrival
at Cadulore, and hope by y^r. prudence and the Blessing of God on
y^r. endeavours a lasting Foundation will be laid for the propagation
of Christianity among the Heathen in y^r. parts. The Society have
recommended it to all their Correspond^t at Fort St. George & Tranque-
bar to assist you as much as in them lies, and may that Harmony
between you & them be always cultivated which is so necessary to propagate
the Divine Blessing on y^r. labours is the wish of all y^r. friends here par-
ticularly of Rev^d. S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t. H. N.

To the Rev^d. J^s Thomson
at Wetherham in Northumberland.

Portlet's Building.

London 13. Feb^r. 1738/9

Rev^d Sir

My late indisposition by a fever has
prevented my acknowledging the Rec^d of y^r. favour of 12th
Dec^r. concerning the 2 packets said to be in arrears.

I have enquired diligently into the matter and don't find
I ever knew the value of those Packets, or wrote to you about
them till our Treas^r. was inform'd me of them. But the
Society's Messeng^r M^r. Geo. Smith being called upon to give an
Acc^t. of y^r. Packets w^h he carry'd out, or employ'd a Porter to
drive for him, has found by y^r. memorandum. w^h the Porter keeps
that y^r. first Packet in 1735. was paid for as charg'd in your
Nephews Acc^t. 1st Dec^r. & he has accordingly paid the same to our
Treasurer, but that the last in June 1736. amounting to £1. 7s.
he does not find was ever paid. M^r. Tillard therefore accepts
of y^r. offer to pay for y^r. last packet, & both he and I are sorry for
the trouble given you on this occasion, being very sensible that
y^r. punctuality would have prevented it, had you sooner known
of it; and I thank you for putting me upon the Enquiry to do you
& your Nephews Acc^t. Justice while it was possible to trace it,
by living witnesses.

But if you find hereafter upon searching your Nephews
Capers that it was ever paid by any body; your paying it will
not preclude your having it refunded upon demand, in which
case I desire you will signify the name of y^r. person who sign'd
the Acc^t., because it must, if ever, be paid by y^r. ~~any~~ person
who carry'd the Packet to your Nephews from our Bookseller.
I am. Rev^d. Sir

Your most humble Serv^t
Henry Newman

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Copy of Rec^d for parcels on the Normanton
Receiv^d February the 10th 1738. on board the Normanton
Capt. Reg^d Kemney one Case of Paper mark'd D.M.
one case of Books mark'd E.M.

Y^r M^{rs} Tho^s Goodwin

Receiv^d February the 10th 1738. on board the Normanton
Capt Reg^d Kemney, Three chests of Beer, Two half
Chests of Beer, three keases in Lead mark'd D.M.
and E.M.

Y^r M^{rs} Tho^s Goodwin

DMZ.
N^o 6.

Feb^r 13. 1738 Read on Board the Normanton one chest
said Treasure mark and N^o as per
Margent.

J^r Alex^r Strange

EM.
N^o 12.

Feb^r 13. 1738. Read on board the Normanton
one Chest said Treasure mark and N^o as per
Margent

J^r Alex^r Strange

To the Rev^d W^m Ziegenhagen
at Kensington

Bartlett's Buildings

16. Feb^r 1738/9

Rev^d Sir Last Tuesday the Silver was ship'd on

the Normanton according to the copy of the Rec^d enclosed
and I ~~bestroke~~ immediately bespoke the insurance of 1100. l.
for you & 300. l. for the Society, which is now sign'd by about
a Doz. of the Richest Merch^{ts} as usual. So that if you can

The Premium for y^r part at 2:10. of Cent. come, to 27:10: -

The charges in the Treasury for shipping it ^{after} deducting } 2:10: 6
the Society's part is

30: - : 6

And if I have ~~you can remit~~ that Sum by Monday next I should
be able to take ^{it} up ~~up~~ then and lay it before the ~~Society~~ ^{& you} on
Tuesday next.

The charge of the 2. chests of Beer sent to Tranque-
bar on your Acct. I am promised next week which
will be about 10. l. more, but there is not so much heart
of that as of the Policy for insurance. I have sent all y^r.
letters & packets by the Normanton, but ^{by the delay of your clerk} I have been oblig'd
to send some of mine that were intended by the Normanton
in the Grantham, of which I shall give notice to the Missionaries
I am
Rev^d S^r. Y^r most humble Serv^t

I have sent an Invoice of all the things ship'd
for the Missionaries in the Normanton that you
may know the disposition of them.

To Mr. Anna Sophia Courtenay
in Johnson's Court
Chancery Cross

Bartlett's Building
17. Feb. 1738/9

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Madam I have herewith sent ~~the~~
^a Copy of the Letter you was pleas'd to desire
to see, and if there were any mistakes made by
W. Fynes, I am sure ^{Mr. Tillard} our Treasurer will readily
rectify any thing ~~that~~ to comply with ~~your~~ inten-
tions, ~~which he can more easily do now at the~~
and whenever you ~~please~~ ^{command} to permit it, I will wait
on you for yr. ^{order} being

Madam Yr. most obed.
humble Serv.
H. N.

To the Rev. Mr. Schultze
at Fort St. George
Rev. Sir

London. 17. Feb. 1738/9

By an accident the Letters & Invoices
that were design'd to be sent to you and the Missiona-
ries were sent at Cadizore & Tranquebar and put
on board the Normanton with the Goods they relate to,
were ~~pack'd up~~ ^{sent} in the Company's packet on board the
Grantham who if she goes safe & arrive in time
it will be well, but if not, may advise your Bre-
thren of it, that they may not think themselves
neglected. ~~But~~ If it should happen that those
Letters should finally miscarry, ^{as I hope they will not} the Invoice sent to Messrs.
the Corresponding Members at Fort St. George, will ex-
plain ~~the~~ ^{by the Packet} to whom all the parcels are to be sent,
You will receive several Letters by the Normanton
to which I beg leave to refer you for ~~the rest~~ ^{other things}, and
remain

Rev. Sir Yr. most humble Serv.
Henry Newman

Wrote the same
mistake mistandis to
the Missionaries at
Fort St. David & Tranquebar
under cover to Mr. Lawrence
the 22. Feb. 1738/9

To W. John Bell
Agent for the E. India
Company at Deal.

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Bartlett's Building
22. Feb. 1738/9

I take this occasion to thank you
for all former favours and request y^r. care of the en-
closed packet. If any change attends the delivery
of it, I will thankfully acknowl^d it, and be oblig'd to you
for a line that it is deliver'd. If the Normanton
be sail'd before this reach your hands please to
return the packet directed to me here and you
will further oblige I^t. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
H. N.

P. S.
I was very much concern'd
that it was not in my power
to serve y^r. Son in what you
formerly desir'd, having no interest in the persons you
mentioned.

To the Rev^d. Mess^{rs}. Botzins & Gronau
at Ebenezer in Georgia.

London. 22. Feb. 1738/9

By Capt.
Shubrick.

Rev^d. Sirs I receiv'd y^r. letters of the 4th of Oct. from
Ebenezer, and 20th of Oct. from Savannah, by which the Society
were glad to understand that you and your flock are in
health, that y^r. Salaries in Copper Money were got^{to} y^r.
hands by Capt. Thompson. Since which the Society are glad to
find you are in the way of receiving y^r. Salaries with
less exp^{se} and charge than heretofore, as well as with more
certainty, by drawing Bills of Exchange on W. Tillard
who has accepted and paid to M^r. Simond y^r. Bill of the
7th of Nov^r. last for 50-^l. being $\frac{1}{2}$ a year's Salary for
your selves & M^r. Ortman, ending the 1st of May. 1739.
~~The Society desire~~ I had desir'd $\frac{1}{2}$ a year's Salary in
Copper Money, but now the Society ^{have countermanded} ~~superstaded~~ that order
and directed me to ~~renew~~ desire you to continue your
draughts on W. Tillard at opportunities offer, and that your
woud add to y^r. next draught the sum of 10-^l. remitted by
Mess^{rs}. Schalkhauser, Hugel and Jastham Merch^{ts} at Venice to the
Society for the benefit of the Saltzburger in Georgia, which they
Society desire may be apply'd to the Service of the orphanhouse at
Ebenezer.
I am also order'd to desire you woud with y^r. convenience
transmit to

(6) transmit to the Society a copy of y^r. Journal or an Abstract of it, so far as relates to the progress of Religion, and the Education of Youth at Ebenezer.

Mr. Whitefield is safely returned to England, and designs to return to Georgia the approaching Summer in the mean time he has been a ^{pains} diligent Solicitor for Benefactions to y^r. Church and Ophanhouse of which you may expect an account from him, he being now in the West of England for that purpose and to visit his Relations in those parts.

The Society thank you for y^r. good Wishes of which they desire the continuance and that it may please God abundantly to bless y^r. endeavours for promoting his Glory in the Wilderness of America, and that the Savages themselves may be induced to embrace Christianity by the pious Examples of the Professors of it in y^r. parts: And that you may never be disturbed by your Spanish Neighbours, in regard to which they doubt not of the Protection and Encouragement of General Oglethorpe and those that command under him. I am

Very humble Servant to Rev^d. Sirs y^r. most humble Serv^t.
H. N.
Mr. Thibbs, & Mr. Ottmann.

To the Rev^d. Mr. John Gibb
at Bristol.

London. 24. Feb. 1738/9

Rev^d. Sir I herewith send a copy of the Contract I have made with Mr. Will^m Purcas for y^r. Chambers in the Middle Temple. My last acquainted you that I had received a little before Christmas $\frac{1}{2}$ a years Rent for them of Mr. Danvers due at Christmas 1737. when he promised that I should have the arrears due to Christmas last soon after the Holidays, but to this day I have been able to receive nothing though I have call'd & sent to him several times, on a pretence there is but $\frac{1}{2}$ a year ^{more} due though my last Rec^t. is for what was due at X^{mas} 1737. He promised me last week that he would by this day settle the dispute between us, but on my sending to him I find he is gone into the Country. I have been the more indulgent to him because the Tenant he left in the Chambers paid him no Rent as he tells me for the last year & half, but if he do not come to make you satisfaction according to the Contract between us, with your leave I shall sue him next Term and employ an Attorney for that purpose. For if he had ^{tried} resign'd the Chambers to me I doubt not but I should have got as good a Tenant as I now have ^{with y^r. consent} and have acquitted him of his contract for ^{the} remaind^r of his Term ^{upon y^r. consent} if he had desired it.

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The letter herewith sent is from one of our worthy Treas-
urers ~~concerning~~ ^{about} an object of Charity in his Neighbourhood
concerning whom he desires to be favoured with an Answer.

My humble Service to y^r. Lady and the young Ladies, to
Mr. Adams and her son who I suppose is with her about
this time, and please to be assured that I am
Mr. Belcher of the Temple Rev. S^r. y^r. most Obed. humble Serv^t
sends his humble Service
to you.

To the Rev. Mr. Griffith Jones
at Bath

London. 24th Feb^y 1798^y

Rev. S^r. Having wrote to you 2. letters while
your favour of the 10th Inst. was on the Road to me, I doubt
they have not reach'd y^r. hands before you was set out for
Bath, the former was of the 10th Inst. to req^t. you that
Mr. Hoare had order to pay you a Benefaction of five pounds
or five Guineas ~~as a Benef.~~ from S^r. John Dolben Bart^s
towards your Schools, and to continue the same Annually
which he will do on receiving y^r. Bill for that Sum, he
could not change his memory whether it was pounds or Guin^{is}.
but if you will draw for five I'll fill it up.

My last letter was of the 13th Inst. to req^t. you that
I had receiv'd a Benefaction to y^r. Schools from Persⁿ
desiring to be unknown ~~for~~ of 30. l. which I shall pay to
your order.

Our Mr. Bengt^t forgot in the proper time to give me
Notice ^{Memorand} of 375. Welch Prayers amounting to 6:15:11¹/₄
at 2:13¹/₂ ^{the new Impression} which remain unpaid for to Mr. Downing according to
the Memorand. enclosed, for the delay of which he
asks y^r. pardon.

I this day rec'd a Let^r from S^r. Eras. Phillips by w^{ch}
he was well at Rome the 1st Inst. our Style. I shall
be glad to hear you find health by using the Waters at Bath,
and so will all y^r. friends here. I am

The Society have order'd Rev. S^r. y^r. most humb^l Serv^t
the 1000. Welch Catech.
as you desire on their terms.

To the Hon^{ble}
Steph. Law Esq^r

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London. 28. Feb. 1738/9

Gov^r. at Bombay Sir I had the honour of y^r. Letter of the
3^d. of Oct. 1737. from Tellechery by which the Society were
glad to understand your inclinations ~~to be~~ ^{are} so much in favour
of the Design of Promoting Christian Knowledge, and I was
immediately order'd to give directions for procuring the Bibles
and Com: Pray^r. Books &c. desired in y^r. Letter from their
Booksellers on the terms which they are allow'd to any of
for charitable ^{use} which I have herewith sent ~~And they are accordingly sent in the~~
their Members. ~~They had been sent in the Prince~~
Haglingfield Capt. Cook. ~~I have~~ There are a few Tracts added out of the
Society's Store of which they desire y^r. acceptance.

To these I have added according to y^r. desire a number
of small Tracts ag^t. the vices too common in this age, and
and a few other Tracts out of our Store are pack'd up wth
them of which the Society desire y^r. acceptance, ⁱⁿ per-
using the last of which you will be fully appriz'd of all
the Branches of the Design of the Society.

I congratulate you on y^r. removal from Tellechery
to Bombay, where may y^r. Administration be always
accompani'd with the Divine Blessing, Prosperity to the
Company, ~~with~~ y^r. own ~~Benefit~~ Advantage and Honour
is the sincere wish of Sir Y^r. most obed^t. humble
Serv^t. H. N.

Copy of the Rec^t. sent in the
Letter above.

Received Feb. 22. 1738 Onboard the Haglingfield
Captⁿ. John Cooke One Box of Books directed to
Gov^r. Law James Houghton

S. Law's Book Books

To M^r. Stone Street at Bombay
Memb^r. J^r

for Prom. ^{Christian} Knowledge
The Society desire y^r. acceptance of a small
packet of their Books sent under cover to Gov^r. Law's by
J^r. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.

H. Newman

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P. S.
To Gov^r. Law, Letter 1. March. 1738/9

~~I^r Tho^s M^r Didoxton if I believe gave into the~~
~~Country I doubt not but he has wrote to you by this ship~~
~~by which I receiv'd a duplicate of y^r. Letter at his return~~
from France, of which and that I doubt not of his having
wrote to you by this conveyance, that he will pay the Books etc.
I have taken the liberty to recommend to y^r. care
a small packet for M^r. Horsestreet and remain
I^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t.
H. N.

To Tho. Watts Esq^r.
at the Sun fire Office
behind the Royal Exch^r.
I^r.

Bartlett's Buildings
8th March. 1738/9

~~Just now~~ I have receiv'd from W. Tiltard one of our
Treasurers a letter with the following Paragr.
" Arrears due from Tho. Watts Esq^r. are 17. Quarters at
" Christmas last, and the last time W. Smith went to him
" M^r. Watts told him he would talk with you about it,
" but has not been yet with you as I hear, therefore desire
" you would call on him next time y^r. business brings you nigh
" the Change, for it will look well to make some report of
" his Intentions to the Auditors the 17th Instant.
" or not at home
" Sit For fear you might be engag'd when I wait on you
I have ~~chose~~ ^{perhaps} transcribed so much of his letter as related
to you that you may signify your ^{comand} ~~pleasure~~ by a line, ~~or~~
~~if~~ when I may wait on you or when I may have
the honour of seeing you here, ~~if you incline to that. I am~~
Sit y^r. most obed^t. humble Serv^t.

To the Rev^d. M^r. Gibb
at Bristol.
Reverend & D^d Sir

Bartlett's Buildings.
London 8. March. 1738/9

I have this day sent to M^r. Dammers but
he is still out of Town, and when he returns I expect to hear
from him, if not I shall employ an Attorney as you have order'd.
I sent an Extract of y^r. Lett^r. to M^r. Tiltard who has
desir'd me to send the Letter herewith cover'd to request y^r.
Answer to some further Enquiries upon the subject of his former
Letter which I am sure you will be so good as to favour him
with.
The

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The Letter to Mr Hall is an acknowledg^t. of the Rec^t.
of a Benefaction to the Corporation Society, which I beg your
Servant may deliver at y^r. Convenience.

My humble Service to y^r. Lady and Daughters &
please to believe that I am

Resd Sir y^r. most Obed^t

humble Serv^t

Henry Newman

To the Rev^d. Mr Griffith Jones
at Bath.

Resd Sir

Barrett's Building...
London on March 14/38/9

I rec^d y^r. favour of 24. Feb^r. from Bath
with the Bill enclosed on Mr Hoare which he has paid to me for
5^l. as he filed the Blank as a Benefaction from the Rev^d. P^r.
John Dolben Bar^t. to y^r. Schools.

I have endeavour'd to wait on Mr. Green wth y^r. Compliment^s. but
was prevented when I had got little more than half way, she living
at y^r. Extremity of Betty's illness. I hope ere long to be able to
do it, as our Audit next week & preparing the Annual Report for y^r
week after will permit me.

I deliver'd y^r. Lib^r. of 3. Cur^s. to Mr Thorold who acquainted y^r.
Society wth the contents of it, & they are very much pleas'd to understand
by it y^r. Improvement of y^r. health at Bath, wth they praise God for,
and hope it may be continued to be perfectly restored.

The Soc. have order'd 3000. Cth. Catechisms & 200. Crotches,
in Welsh to be sent as you desire on their terms, and at the same
time desired Mr. ~~Thorold~~ Thorold & me to request you would signify
wth care is taken to instruct the Children ~~admitted~~ in Welsh Schools
in English Language as a necessary qualification to fit them for
Service in English families as well as to read English books w^{ch}
are easier to be obtain'd than Welsh.

They are sensible of y^r. Temerariousness of some people to
their Mother Tongue, and so were the people of the Isle of Man till
the present good Bp. of that Island introduc'd books in the English
& Manx Language into their Schools, and prevail'd wth them
at last generally to understand & read English rather than books in
their own Language.

The same has been done in y^r. Highlands
of Scotland where only the Irish was formerly spoke & read, but
now by y^r. Care of y^r. Society at Edinburg, English is introduc'd into
all their Schools, & y^r. Irish in a few year more will be totally
disus'd by y^r. great Mortification of y^r. Romish Clergy who w^{ld} to
make

make an advantage of their ignorance of English Language: But this is a danger that I hope can never happen to any part of Wales.

My humble service to Mr. Dixon our Correspondent at Bath, & let him know that notwithstanding the misfortune to Mr. Tho. Lowther of breaking his Cleftum, I had a letter from him last post by which he intended to set out as this day for London, & I believe he will go hence for Bath. I am

Rev. S. B. yd. most humble servt.
Mr. Downing I hope does not neglect yd. orders tho' I expected a Lett. from her for some time now but I wish to see they expect is not yet arrived.

Henry Veidman

A Monsieur Mous^r. Erasme^r. Philippus
Gentilhomme Anglois

London. 9th March. 1738/9

a Rome. D. v. Erasme I receiv'd yd. favour of the 12th of Feb^r N. S. from Rome, the 24th of Feb^r O. S.

and immediately forwarded the enclosed to yd. Brother from whom in the meantime I receiv'd a Lett. for you, but being desirous to have from him an acknowledgm^t. of receiving yd. Lett. I kept it for a Post or two, in hope of giving you yd. pleasure of receiving an answer to your last at yd. same time you did to your former: Accordingly I have just now receiv'd & herewith forwarded it.

I find both my Letters to you by yd. way of France directed to Sienna are miscarried, for which reason I send this by the way of Holland.

I presume yd. Bro^r has acquainted you that Mr. Horne Partner wth Mr. Temple in yd. Strand dy'd a few weeks since. Honest Mr. Chalmersley our Bookbinder dy'd at his house in Chy Court off Stone the 22nd of Feb^r yd. our style, & was bury'd last Sunday in a private manner in St. Martin's in yd. field Church yard. The Society in compassion to yd. wid^{ow} for her infirmities of lameness &c. have agreed to employ her in yd. binding & sticking of Books, for the while she employs a good Journeyman, which she at present has. Being informed that Mr. Chalmersley had several things of yours under his care, I have recommended them to the wid^{ow}'s care which she has promis'd.

Mr. Bernwitz returns his humble service to you & thanks for yd. Lett. directed to him tho' it was of an old date from Oxford, & is not a little concerned at yd. trouble you have had of receiving & conveying it, after a tour of 16. or 1700. Miles.

All yd. friends of yd. Society are well, I made yd. Complements to St. Johnyson, who wth several others upon naming of you have always charg'd me to give their humble service to you.

I hope

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I hope I may congratulate you on the continuance of y^r health tho' you say nothing of it, and all y^r ~~Pleasures~~ Pleasures which Milton & Addison partook at Rome.

Some Gent. now at Rome has lately wrote to S^r Hans Sloane or one of his Clubb, that there are at present a set of English Gent. there that are an honour to their Country, for your Taste of Learning & Society. I was glad to hear it, because you made one of them, and would enjoy the happiness of their conversation.

As to publick Affairs the Lords last week by a Majority of 71. ~~or~~ 58. exclusive of Coxies, voted in address of thanks to His Majesty, for the Treaty of Convention wth Spain, which has given the Merch^{ts} so much uneasiness, that all the Chief Corporations in England have petitioned the Parliament to disapprove of it as destructive of y^r Honour & Interest of y^r Nation. The House of Comm^s after examining Merch^{ts} & debating on their Complaints 3. days I am told have last night come to a resolution in y^e same way of thinking wth y^e Lords by a ~~div~~ division of 260. ^{12. o'clock} ag^t 232. What may be the consequence of our present complaisance to Spain time will shew. A strong Protest sign'd by about 40. Lords ag^t y^e above vote is by stealth handed about.

I am
W^m. Melmoth sends his humble
service to y^e.

Dear Sir

y^r most obed^t & humble serv^t.

H. Newman

Bartlet's Buildings

Saturday. 10. March 1738/9

I receiv'd y^r letter of yesterday

and God willing shall wait on you to morrow about one o'clock to receive y^r commands being

Madam y^r most humble serv^t.

To y^e Rev^d M^r Whitfield
at M^r Greivill's Grocer in Wine
Street Bristol.

Rev^d Sir

London 13. March 1738/9

I receiv'd y^e favour of y^e 24. of last month acquainted y^e Society wth the contents of it, who immediately ordered a packet consisting of y^e Books above mentioned to be sent to you for y^e Charity School at Bristol which you say is supported by y^e Subscription of some well dispos'd young men.

These were sent yesterday by Wilks the carrier from y^e Swan at Holborn Bridge, Car^r y^e here 1/6 directed to you at M^r Greivill's ~~Grocer~~

I shall be glad to hear of y^e receiving them and that
you

you are so happy as to make any good Impressions upon your
Kingswood Colliers, who are represented as a very intractable set
of People to any sense of Religion, respecting their Duty to God or
Man.

I have receiv'd a further remittance from Rev'd Mr. Salway
a Richard Castle of Two Guinea, who apply'd towards supporting
the orphan house you have recommended the erecting in Georgia
to be paid to you for that purpose which you may command of

Rev'd S^r yo^r. most humble serv^t!

Henry Newman

To Mr. Ann Courtenay
in Johnston's Court
Charing Cross
Madam

Baddeley's Building,
15. March. 1738/9

I have paid to Mr. Tillard our Treasurer
for ~~2~~ ^{initially} Subscriptions to the Society the 11:18:6. which
I receiv'd of you, and herewith send his Receipts conformable
to the Memorand. you gave me: When he came to make out
the Rec^t he observ'd Mr. Langdon's Paym^t for 2. Years ending
Michael last was 3:1:- and Mr. Gilbert's 1:10:6. for 1. Year to
~~Michael last~~ ^{and} he desir'd me to ask whether you had yet receiv'd
y^r. self of the odd Shilling ^{in that payment and also of the} six Pence in
Mr. Gilbert's contribution to ~~Michael last~~ ^{in which if there be}
any mistake it shall be rectify'd, as you shall order
direct, and the Receipts either chang'd or alter'd.

permit it. I have ^{herewith} sent a copy of y^r. letter the 17. of April
and shall attend your directions for writing on y^r. Bro^r Henry when he shall
last. The Society are much oblig'd to you for the
concern you express in promoting their Designs and
have order'd me to desire you would accept their
Thanks for it, and to signify the same to all those
charitable persons who are ^{pleas'd} to join with you
therein. ~~in advancing them.~~ ^{in advancing of their promoting these Undertakings}

Madam P. S. I am Madam y^r. most obed^t humble serv^t.

Our messeng^r. telling me he had
already sent to you copies of what
have been ^{last year} printed by the Society, excepting
the new Edition of the Catalogue of Books
dispers'd by them; I have herewith sent
a Dozen copies to be distributed as you have
occasion ^{among} to all those worthy persons who have
contributed their charity through y^r. hands, and whenever
you have occasion ^{want} for more, be pleas'd to command them.
I shall be glad to see y^r. Bro^r Peregrine whenever he comes this way.

For Rev^d W. Cammfoot
at Newent Gloucestershire.

London. 20. March 1738/9

Rev^d Sir

(69)
M^r Whichcote late of Hackney Marsh
deceased has left 1200. to be distributed at the discretion of his
Executors. Viz. his Bro^r and Nephew M^r Paul Whichcote to 30.
Clergymen whose Livings and Benefices do not amount to
Thirty pounds off Ann^y. 40. a piece These are the words of the
will, and as soon as I heard of them which was Yesterday, I could
not help thinking of you, but doubt you are not qualify'd in respect
of the value of your preferment. And therefore have given you the trouble
of this former certain information.

I rec^d y^r Let^r of y^e 23. of May and 21. Aug^r last
w^{ch} I have endeavour'd to make use of for y^r advantage but
wth out success or you should have heard from me. There is more
likelihood of success wth M^r Dry another year than the present.
And as to M^r Galt she is so reduced in her circumstances that I
believe she would if she could remember you as formerly. She is now
retir'd to live at Islington to save charges.

If you are
Qualify'd for Charity above mentioned, may I be sure have a proper
Cert. if it from some of y^r neighbouring Clergy and Gentry and
I will get y^r B^p of Gloucester's hand to it here. His Lordship's
honour'd of Society wth his Company this day Sunn^y when he
introduc'd y^e of Bristol, to accept of being a Member. Let y^e
Cert. if you send any signify wth family you have and if you
are Qualify'd in other respects, I have the promise of a powerful
friend to serve you wth y^e Executors. I am

Rev^d Sir

To the Hon^{ble} James Vernon Esq^r
in Great To the R^t Rev^d
the L^d B^p of Landaff.

y^r most humble serv^t
H. Newman

Bartlett's Buildings

My Lord

28. March. 1739.
The Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge

have done themselves the honour of electing y^r Lordship a
member of their Body, in hopes you may be pleas'd to accept
of it. ~~on the invitation of~~ I have herewith sent a short
acco^t. of their Designs and a copy of their Rules by
which your L^d will be fully appriz'd of their Consti-
tution. M^r Maddocks is so kind as to promise to in-
vite y^r L^d to their ~~Weekly~~ Meetings at this place
where they meet every ~~Tuesday~~ ^{even} ~~Morn~~ will be glad to see
y^r Lordship when it suits y^r convenience. I am
My Lord y^r L^d's most obed^t humble serv^t
H. N.

To the Rev.
Messrs. Bolzius & Gronan
at Ebenezer in Georgia
Rev. S^r

(70)

Bartlett's Buildings,
London. 2-April. 1739.

My last was of the 22. Feb^r by
By the Carolina Capt. Shubrick of which I have herewith sent a
Capt. Somerset. & refer you to it
Copy because I have little to add but that
all y^r. friends of the Society here are well, and
hope to hear of your happy progress by all fair op-
portunities.

The Salzburger who returned
last year is now returning to you
with an Addition of Half a Dozen more to y^r.
congregation. I wish them a good voyage
and desire you may be assured that I am

The Parliament have
lately given 20. thou^d. pounds
towards encouraging the Settlement
in Georgia.

To the R^t. Hon. the Countess of
Huntingdon, in St. James's St. Piccadilly.

Bartlett's Buildings,
London. 5. April. 1739

Madam
At the desire of M^r. Lowdham in a
letter dated the 5th June 1733. wrote as he ^{intended} by y^r. Ladyship
dated the 5th of June 1733. desired in y^r. letter building which were
name order a packet of the 1300th within mentioned were sent
to Donington Park on the 13th of the Society Value 3:1:5
y^r. Ladyship will excuse the trouble of being put in mind of
them, ~~but~~ at the desire of W^t. Tillard our Treasurer for Books
making up ^{acc^d} with the widow of the Society's late Book-
who is ^{adjoining} with the widow of the late nature you will be
and ^{adjoining} have any other company of the late nature you will be
pleas'd ^{to give} ^{to give} Madam y^r. Ladyship most obed^t.
them to ^{to the Society} humble Serv^t. H. N.

To the Rev. M^r. Cobbe at Tottenham Park
in Wilts. Rev. S^r I receiv'd y^r. ^{kind} present of a Guinea last April
by Mr. Golliat & Bruce's Person who was desir'd to thank you for it, and also to ^{desire}
care of your acceptance of a small packet of the books lately imported into
the Society's Store which I hope you receiv'd. you ^{are} now at the desire
of W^t. Tillard our Treasurer for Books to acq^t. you that the books mentioned in the
acc^d. herewith sent do not appear to him to have been paid for, upon his settling
acc^d. with the widow of the Society's late Book-eller. perhaps you have directed
the payment and it has been forgot or omitted by those that should have p^d. for them of
w^{ch} you will inform y^r. self and Rev. S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t. H. N.

To John Philipps Esq.
at Killgetty near
Tenby So. Wales. D. S.

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Bartlett's Building

5. April. 1739.

I have not heard from J. P. since I sent y^r. last letter to him ^{9th of March} but daily expect it, if the diversion of Rome don't engross all his time. I am now at the desire of a f^d of the late M^r. Whichcote ^{of Haddington} who has left 1200. l. to be distributed among worthy ^{pious} Clergymen whose living & preferment do not exceed 30. l. p^a an. to request your ^{Opinion} Character of the Persons recommended in the list enclosed of which 6. were recommended by M^r. Griff. Jones to M^r. Thos. But as the Gent. who solicits the recommendation ^{of proper objects} can recommend but 2. or 3. he desires to have y^r. advice upon the Characters of the Persons ~~be~~ recommended in regard to their Merit, Value of their preferment, what families they have &c. that he may be able to produce a double recommendation to the Executors of M^r. Whichcote for those persons you recommend. ~~so that those you do not think fit to recommend~~ Those who have already rec^d a Share ~~W^m~~ of this Charity have had 40. l. ^{paid for y^r.} ~~each the sum~~ ^{at} appointed by the Testator. ~~W^m~~

M^r. Shepherd was well last Sunday; my humble Service to y^r. Lady and Children, and please to believe that I am D^r. Humphrey, Secy of D. S. Y^r. most humble Serv^t. the Corp. Soc. is dead.

— If you are at liberty to add any Clergyman that you can recommend qualify'd as above, but then you are desir'd to procure a ^{separate} recommendation from some other person beside y^r. self to ^{double} guaranty the Merit of the person to M^r. Whichcote's Executors.

To the Rev^d. M^r. Parncefoot at Oxenbali
near Newent Glouc^r. Sh.

London. 10. April. 1739.

Rev^d. S^r.

I wrote to ym the 20th of last month &c.
I have this day receiv'd by order of M^r. Yeate two Guinⁱ. to be paid to ym, which I suppose is what ym expected from her. Let me have y^r. directions how to remit it as soon as ym please. I am

Rev^d. S^r. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
H. N.

To the Rev.^d W. A. D. Denne. ⁽⁷²⁾ Bartlett's Buildings.
at Vaux hall. 11. April 1739.

Dr Mr. Archdeacon

The hopes of seeing you here has prevented
my sending you Books of Account heretofore sent, & also the 10/6.
which the Society readily granted upon y^r. recommendation to Mr. Stanford
knowth sent that it may go to her through y^r. hands.

The excedings at y^r. Anniversary meeting came to 5. which
the Society desire you would please to pay H. M.

I have heretofore sent the Key of Charity Box which Mr. Tillard
left wth me, & submit to you whether it may not be altogether left
in y^r. hands of Mr. Tillard, for fear it should be wanted when you are
at Rochester.

I have recd. a short Lett^r. from Mr. Schulze by the Halifax
dated 30. Aug^r. last which our Missionaries are well & the Cargo sent
last winter was, 12. ms. safely arrivd: He refers me to a ship
that was to sail a month after for further particulars, & enclos^d
a Lett^r. to Mr. Leydenhagen wth is the 1st. I have recd. from him so
directed for several years past.

The Rev.^d Mr. Arnold Clerk of Thameston near Leicester, & Mr.
Tho^s. Craddock of Wolverhampton Son of y^e. late Corresponding Member
of that name were chose the 3^d. Gen^l. Corresponding Members. Mr. Conway
Whitehouse of Inner Temple is proposd for a Subscrib. Member.

The Rev.^d Mr. Vane of Twickenham has remitted a Benefact.
of 5. by way of tithes for being in Arrear at y^e. year the sum
of 12. for books. I am

P. S. I hope you won't presume to
cross the River while the weather
continues so raw as it is now.

Rev.^d Sir
Y^r. most humble

To the Rev.^d Mr. John Drake
at Wentworth. Yorks.

London. 17. April. 1739.

Rev.^d Sir I receiv'd y^r. Letter of the 13th. of last
Month but you ^{forgot to} signify whether you have rec'd mine
of the 23rd. of Dec^r. last accompany'd with a copy of my Letter of
the 24th. of June ^{with 4. Receipts from y^e. amicable Society to Midsum^r. 1738.} ~~which~~ last which you signify in y^r. Letter of the
18th. Dec^r. never came to y^r. hands, for which reason I was oblig'd
to transcribe the whole to give you a State of y^r. Acc^t. to the
22nd. of Dec^r. last, when I was indebted to you after receiving y^r. last
Bill on Mr. Elwes. 7:2.
which being deducted from the Val. of y^e. Packet now sent 1:10:4

There remains due from you to the Society 1:3:2
I at my last y^r. from the amicable Society for one year due
sent y^r. Rec^t. amounting to 5. l. 1. s. as their Book will make appear, there being
at Midsum^r. 1738. a list of 1. upon their not being paid in time for the 1st. of June 1737.
and I

and I have not been at the Office since last Week^d for want
of Money to discharge their demands, nor have I left as my
last acquainted you to attend them as their rules require to
advance a quarter before hand, ~~for reason I gave you in my last.~~
~~So that or subject you to a forfeiture.~~ I hope ~~therefore~~ ^{there} you will
comission some other friend to execute y^r. orders for reason I gave
you in my last, and that you ^{will} accept of my poor services in what
relates to you and the Society. My humble service to your

good father & believe that I am
they make paym^{ts} at Mr. Glaser's Office
every day this Easter.
To the Rev^d. W. Lawxay
at Tetcott near Lancaster

Rev^d. S^t. Y^r. most humble Serv^t.
London. 14. April. 1739

Rev^d. S^t. The Rev^d. W. Geo. Thomson of S^t. Ginnys
was Camelford in Cornwall having been propos'd &c?

I take this occasion by order of our Treasurer for Books in
is adjusting acct^s with the Wid^o. of our late Bookseller W^t.
Downing to aeq^t. you that y^r. acct^s with the Society is
charg'd with the undermentioned packets. viz.

1736. Dec ^r . 24. a packet value	4. 12. 3.
March. 1. Ditto	3. -
1737. Dec ^r . 12. Ditto	3. 2. -
1738. May. 8. Ditto	3. 14. 11
of which he rec'd of W. Stanwix	11. 12. 2
So there remains due	3. 2. -
	8. 10. 2

If there be any other paid for than that by W. Stanwix,
you will please to signify when & to whom they were
paid, when you favour with an answer.

Rev^d. S^t. Y^r.

To the R^t. Rev^d. the
Lord Bishop of Salisbury

Bartlet's Buildings
19. April. 1739.

My Lord The Society for promoting Christian Knowledge
being inform'd by a Gent. who has lately ^{come from} been in
the West of Engl^d. that at Charlton near Uphaven in Wiltsh.
and ^{other places} the ~~villages round about~~ in the neighbourhood be ~~offended~~
the Common People take the liberty of playing at Foot Ball on
the Lord's Day without any restraint from the Parish Officers.

The

The Society being persuaded that y^r. Lordship does not want inclination to discontinue those liberties, have order'd me humbly to acquaint you with the information they have receiv'd ~~in hopes that by the interposition of y^r. Lordship an-~~ ~~thority the papers that y^r. Lordship may give such directions thereon as you shall think proper.~~ I am

To S^r. Tho. Lowther Bart. My Lord,
at W^m. Metcalfe's in Brandon St.

Bartlet's Buildings
20. April. 1739.

Dear S^r. Thomas I send the enclosed acco^t. that you may ^{as well as me} at leisure examine it, and satisfy your self ^{now with you} in one article of which I am under some doubt. Your serv^t. offer'd to pay the first article for carriage of your Portmanteau &c. from the Inn to Bartlet's Buildings, but whether he did or no does not appear by any Memo^r. that my Clerk or I have taken, and therefore if he says he paid it you must have credit for 10^s. more than is put down. I hope you have kept an Acco^t. of the Num^b. if not the names of the Protections sent you. But you want to know the names I'll endeavour to find out y^r. Letters that cover'd y^r. desire of them. I thought I had long since sent the 12. Rec^t. for y^r. Subscription to the Society herewith sent, and believe it was delay'd in expectation of your calling here for them when you went last into the Country. I am

Dear S^r. Y^r.

To John Philijps Esq^r.
at Killgetty by Tenby Bagg
These D^r. S^r.

London. 26. April. 1739

By the Foreign Post of Yesterday I rec'd the enclosed from S^r. Craspe by Yesterday's foreign Post. I thank you for y^r. letter of the 14th Inst. & shall make a proper use of it the first opportunity. ^{after receiving y^r. next letter on the subject} W^m. Vernon is at present in Suffolk but expected in Town next week when I shall make your compliments to him. I shall be glad to see W^m. Batkeley when he comes to Town. The Anniversary Meeting of the Charity Schools is to be this day seignit at St. Cuth^{bert} Newgate London when the Bp of S^t. David's is to preach.

I am D^r. S^r. Y^r.
All y^r. friends here are well & Salute you.

For Rev^d Mr Jones
at Loundon.

Bartlett's Buildings.
26 April 1739.

Rev^d Sir

(75) I rec^d your favour from Bath the 19th Cur^d
& hope you have rec^d some benefit from y^e Bath water, tho' they
have not remov^d y^e Cause of y^e disorder. Mr^r Stepleton's
Medicine for y^e Stone is not yet made publick, but in all appear-
ance will be soon after passing y^e Act for granting His Majesty 5000
to reward her for y^e discovery of it, which may perhaps be the next
time His Majesty comes to Barham?

I could not till the day before yesterday get Mr^r Downings
Ac^t of which I heret^o send a Copy for y^e approbation of it before
Mr^r Throld & I discharge it. In y^e mean time I have paid Mr^r
Till^r for y^e last B^{al}ter 375. sent to you tho' perhaps it may be
included in y^e first Article of y^e Ac^t now sent of 97. 2. 2.
which you will examine wth your former ac^t. The truth
is Mr^r Downings has been the more dilatory in making out y^e
ac^t because there are several Articles not yet sent to you
nor can be well till the Unity arrive.

I have 35. towards paying y^e B^{al}ter including w^{ch} I have
already paid to Mr^r Tillard upon y^e B^{al}ter. The beginning of this
Month; and Mr^r Throld I doubt not has inform^d you that he
has more in his hands than will pay y^e remainder when you
signify y^e approbation of the ac^t. I shall take care to send
you the proper Rec^t; but let me know whether the 375.
B^{al}ter are charg^d in y^e Article of 97. 2. 2. if they are I
ought not to have paid Mr^r Tillard for them wthout giving you
Credit for them in Mr^r Downings Ac^t for he has only
receiv^d the money of me to pay it to her.

I had a Lett^r yesterday from Dr^r Erasmus Phillips at
Rome dated y^e 17. Cur^d M^o. by which he makes no com-
plaint of want of health, nor does he mention any thing of
his returning to England.

The Ho. of Com^s. meet this day on y^e publick business
before them, but y^e Lords don't meet ~~here~~ till next Monday.

I am

Rev^d Sir

Y^r most humble serv^t
Henry Newman

To W. Gardner at
Coney Hatch Wied.

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Bantlet's Buildings
27. April. 1739.

The Trustees for W. Newman's Charity
are desir'd to have a meeting to consider of their
Trust, when you can favour them with your
company, and if you will let me know when
that can be I'll give notice to the other Gent.
W. Hoare will not be in town till next Monday even-
ing I presume before he went into the country
giving the necessary directions for preparing accomoda-
tions at St. Church for the Charity Child. on Thursday
next when as I doubt not but you already know the
Bp of St. David's is to preach. I am

I^r Y^r. most humble Serv^t

H. N.

To the Rev^d D. Ralph Perkins
at Clerkenwell Green

Rev^d S^r

Bantlet's Buildings

4. May. 1739.

The Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge
having ~~been so often~~ ^{use than once} experienced ^{by several new factions} your generous inclinations for ad-
vancing their Design, ~~that~~ ^{many of the} at their last meeting ^{of that Body} they
unanimously chose you a corresponding Member ~~to give~~ to give
you an opportunity of seeing the application of y^r. own
Charity. You are ~~doubtless~~ ^{without} already acq^d with the ~~nature~~
of several Branches of their Design, but that you may
be more fully appriz'd of the nature of them you will
please to accept of the short Acc^t. herewith sent &
also of a copy of their Standing Rules by which you will
perceive that no Subscription is expected from you, but
only as a Corresponding Member, but only to be a witness
of the distribution of y^r. own & other Charities to religious
purposes. They meet every Tuesday Morn. by 11. clock
at this place where they will be glad to see you whenever
it may suite y^r. convenience. I am

Rev^d S^r Y^r. most obed^t. humble Serv^t

H. N.

To the R^t. Rev^d. the
B^p. of S^t. David,

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Bartlet's Buildings

9. May. 1739.

My Lord ^{having} A Report ⁱⁿ ~~being~~ made to the Society of
your Lordships kindnes, ~~last Thursday~~ ^{in forenoon} to the Trustees &
Charity Schools in & abt. London, last Thursday with a
Sermon, I am order'd to deliver y^r. P^p would ac-
cept the Thanks of the Society for it, and to request
a copy of it at your convenience in order to be printed.
I am My Lord y^r. Lordships most Obed^t.

To the Rev^d.
W. A. Deane Deane at Vauxhall

Bartlet's Building,

10. May. 1739.

Rev^d. S^t. When you have had leisure to peruse the
2. letters from N. Eng^d. you will oblige me to return them
with y^r. advice upon them. As the B^p of London, Consp^r
is concern'd in the Subject of them, I think I ought
to show them to His P^p before I expose them, but to
such a friend as ym.

Though I esteem and honour the Ch^h of Eng^d. be-
cause any Christian Communion in the World, I never desire
to see its Interest propagated by unrighteous, much less
by fraudulent or violent measures, because I am sure
they never will succeed in N. Eng^d. nor does the cause
of the Ch^h of Eng^d. want such means. I am
Rev^d. S^t.

I hope you will give
leave to W. Oliver next Tuesday
to begin the impression of the acct. to be
annexed to the B^p of S^t. David's Sermon.

London. 12. May. 1739.

To the Rev^d. W. Daubie
at Stockton near Bridgnorth.

Rev^d. S^t. Having rec^d. a letter from the Rev^d. W.
Hartshorne of Broseley concerning some irregularities wh^{ch} be justly
complain of among the Colliers in his Neighbourhood the Society have
employ'd their good offices in diffusing out of the Proprietors of the Colliery
to assist in regulating some of the Disorders particularly that of Warping
on the Lords Day. If ym & W. Adamson can by y^r. influence ^{convince}
the Justices in y^r. Neighbourhood fall into any method to facilitate W.
Hartshorne's, laudable Zeal has endeavour'd to effect the Society will be
glad of it very much pleas'd. W. Cartwright of Worcester has recom-
mended W. Cradock of Malvernhampton for a Corresp. member and has
accordingly chose & wrote to by Rev^d. S^t. y^r.

To the R.^d Rev.^d the
B.^d of London at Whitehall

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14. May 1739

My Lord I rec^d the enclosed Letters last
week from Boston, and was this day to wait on
y^r. Lordship at Whitehall humbly to aeq^t. you with
the contents of them, which as they relate to y^r. B.^d.
Conjuring in N. Engl^d. I thought my Duty before I
make any application to the Corporation Society,
wherein I shall be greatly oblig^d for y^r. B.^d. advice
and commands to My Lord y^r.

To the Rev.^d Mr. Archdeacon Domest Pauchall.

Bartlett's Buildings
16. May 1739.

Rev.^d & D.^d?

I rec^d both y^r. L^{ts}. of the 12th
& 14th Cur^d. according to your advice in the 1st. went last
Monday to wait on y^r. B.^d. of Londⁿ. but his Lordsp. not being
in Town unexpected till yesterday morn^g. when I could not wait
on him I sent y^r. L^{ts}. I shew^d you to his Lordsp. & doubt
not of an Answer in due time unless his Lordsp. shall think fit
to send it to D^r. Beaneport, wth whom I have not the honor
to be acquainted, to be laid before the Society next Friday.

I find by the Society's last Account just now publish^d.
their certain Annual Income is. 638^{..} 7^{..}

And that their Annual Expence for Missionaries (not
including Schoolmasters) in N. Engl^d only is. 1005^{..}

I am that lays the Grievance of New Engl^d Clergy under
great Temptations, nor will it become me to say that it might
be as well laid out in North Britain, Switzerland, or other
Protestant Countries as where it is; did not the Charter for the
Propagating of Gospel Limit the Society to those Countries where
they are pleas^d to extend their Care; but this being a Subject as
you observe of a nice Nature, I shall suspend saying any more
of it till I see you.

To Mr. Davy Esq?
at Exeter.

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London. 17. May 1739.

I thank you for y^r favour of the 7th (with
accompanying) Bill on Mr. Wintthrop for 26. 17. 2 which I
endorsed to Mr. Tillard our Treasurer for Books.

I acquainted the Society wth y^r Complaint of the ill binding
and Printing of some of y^r Books into which an Enquiry having
been made it appears several of them were bound by a Man that
was then sick and now dead. But the defect of the Paper and
Printing is wth the Bookseller says he cannot remedy (they being
so come to his hands) till a new Impression is made.

I am therefore ordered to desire you would signify the
number of the Books which are defective as not to be fit for use
please to return them, and care will be taken, to change them
free of any charge to you.

I thank you also for making
this Complaint that care may be taken to prevent it for the future.
Mr. Orchard is proposed for a Corresponding Member & will have
notice of his Election when decided at our next Gen^l meeting, by

To W^m. Southgate
in Milk Street
pr

Y^r most obed^t humble serv^t

Henry Newman
Bartlett: Building

21. May. 1739.

Mr. Downing has sent to me the Acc^t
of the Trustees of the Schools which you sent to her, which I have
~~examined~~ find a deficiency of acc^t from the Schools
mentioned in the enclosed List. I have been at
Mr. Hoare's to request his delivering them from the
respective Treasurers of the Schools but he being
out of Town not to return till this day tonight
I beg you would be pleas'd to repeat y^r orders to the
proper persons or to the Masters of the Schools to send
them to Mr. Downing forthwith; There are other Schools
which I have omitted, not to trouble you with those who
never attend the anniversary meeting, but these being
mostly numerous & large Schools a particular acc^t of them
will greatly embellish the Acc^t as well as make it more
exact, and w^{ch} are not sent in forthwith must be left to be
reported another year. If you send y^r commands to me once
more I shall diffuse them. I am y^r most obed^t humble serv^t

To S.^r Crap. Phillips Bart.
at Rome. Dear S.^r

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Bartlet's Buildings
London. 22^d May. 1739.

I rec^d your favour of the 17th of
April. N.S. and by the ~~last~~ ^{1st} Post forwarded the enclosed
for y^r. B^r. to which he ~~will~~ ^{has} sent an Answer by ~~last~~ ^{last} Post of ~~the~~ ^{the} 17th of
y^r. Ope^rs in paying M^r. Cholmondeley & M^r. Williams your kind
presents to them. to which they desire their humble Thanks
and Duty may be accepted. I have likewise paid M^r.
Giddings at the General Post Office his Bill for 2. years News Pa-
pers sent to Haverford West, ending at Lady Day last, amount-
ing to 29. 12. 9. consisting of 45^{following} articles viz.

To the worshipfull the Mayor	8. 3. 1 ¹ / ₂
M ^r . Tho. Hoar	11. 8. 1 ¹ / ₂
M ^r . Stevens	4. 19. 6
M ^r . Will ^m . Jenkins	3. 7. 6
M ^r . Tho. Williams	1. 14. 6
	<hr/> 29. 12. 9

M^r. Giddings aff'd me if I had any direction for
paying M^r. Stanley for written News, I told him I had not, but
that if you w^d to pay him, and he w^d insert it in his Bill
I w^d pay it. He said he had once rec^d it of you, but that
it was not an Article strictly belonging to him, and therefore
he has not chang'd it, till I receive your further Orders.
I took from him 5 distinct Receipts for the Articles above, &
I tell all y^r. friends that Stationer's Air agrees with you very
well because you say nothing to the contrary. M^r. Dummer
formerly Agent for ~~the~~ ⁱⁿ Eng^d who I believe you saw dy'd last
Saturday at Plaistow, of a Dropsy, not without the regret of
many that knew him for his facetious Conversation.

The Parliament is still sitting & life to be so till next month S. James
Lowther call'd on me yesterday and sends his humble Service to you; he
has been much confin'd last winter with the Gout, but hopes in 14.
days to begin his Journey to Whitehaven. I made y^r. complaint to
all your friends here who thank you & return theirs by

Dear S.^r y^r. most humble Serv^t. H. N.
London. 24. May. 1739.

To the Rev^d M^r. Cookson
at Leeds, or in his absence
to M^r. Wilson Recorder

Rev^d S.^r M^r. Whitehouse an Executor of the late
M^r. Whitehouse who left 1200. l. to be distributed among 30.
Clergymen, whose livings do not exceed 30. l. I am call'd
on me this day, and joined with the Character of being Men of
Fidelity call'd on me this day to enquire the Character of the Rev^d.
M^r. Cookson ~~perpetual~~ ^{perpetual} Curate of Downholme in the North-
riding of Yorksh. and what his Certain ^{income} Salary was. I told him
I could not inform him but would write to one that could, and
for least

Mr. Bartlet's Buildings has been above a month in Town but I have not had
the opportunity of seeing him and now I hear he has left his lodging in
Featherstone Buildings. Mr. Dummer is well & going this morning to see Mr. Dummer
in Wales.

for fear of y^r. not being ⁽⁸²⁾ in the way I have directed this
to Mr. Recorder in y^r. absence: the Quota to each clergy-
=man will be 40. l. a Sum worth his acceptance if you
can recommend him as qualify'd for it. ~~which~~

Mr. Arch Deac. Deane is well and all y^r. friends ~~that~~
of the Society here. I am
If you can certify in favour ^{Rev. S^r. y^r.}
of Mr. Coolson get a friend or 2.
to join with you to avoid any
appearance of partiality, on acc^t. of
his Name To S^r. Hans Sloane J^r.

Saturday. 2. June. 1739.

Something has happen'd that
obliges Professor Taylor to return to Cambridge, so that he
had ~~before~~ taken a place in the Coach ~~before~~ when
spoke to you Yesterday. He thanks you for y^r. kind permission
to see y^r. curiosities, and ^{next Wednesday} though he can't accept it
he may have the honour of waiting on you together with
Mr. Gordon of the Temple. I am

To the Rev. Dⁿ. Bearcroft
at the Charter House.

Bartlett's Buildings
5th. June. 1739.

Rev. S^r. I hope you receiv'd in due time my
acknowledgm^t. of receiving 50. Copies of the Bp of Bristol's
Sermon before the incorporated Society for Propagating the
Gospel ~~as a present from the said Society to the Society for Propagating the Gospel~~
~~and their thanks of the Society for that kind present.~~
I was in hopes to have sent you ^{that} the Bp of
Bristol's Sermon at Christ Church, of which the Society
have order'd a present of 50. Copies to the Society for
Propagating the Gospel, but by one means or other it is still
delay'd out of the Press. I receiv'd by last Post a letter from
the Rev. Mr. Fenwick of Hallaton, of wh^{ch} I send an Extract
and doubt not but you will oblige him in what he desires.

I am Rev. S^r. y^r. most humble Serv^t H. N.
To the Rev. Mr. Gibb
at Bristol. Rev. S^r. Dear S^r.

London. 9th. June. 1739.

Having convinc'd Mr. Danvers that he
ow'd you a years Rent last Christmas, he has paid me Nine
Guineas for to appear and given me his Note for Nine Guineas
more payable in Nov^r. next, which I thought was better
than a prosecution at Law to recover it. Mr. Adams ~~that~~
design'd to set out this day for Bristol by whom I intended to
leave

(84) For the Judgment of Heaven ~~unless~~ some great Calamity to punish
 it unless prevented by the gracious interposition of Providence like
 what this Nation has ~~felt~~ ^{felt} in the last and present Century like
 - France when ~~it was~~ ^{it has} been at the brink of Ruin. I wish
 I could send ~~you~~ ^{your} Ladship knows so much of the present degeneracy
 that I need add no more but I hope ~~Heaven~~ ^{May Heaven} will wear the Prayers
 of ~~you~~ ^{you} Ladship and the few Good of this Age to make us better
 nor ~~can~~ ^{do} I doubt but the Indignors of our Society & other ~~Religions~~ ^{Religions}
~~for the Honour of God~~ ^{for the Honour of God} ~~their~~ ^{their} ~~signs~~ ^{signs} will still have weight
 to check the progress of this impiety which threatens to overflow
 the Nation. I remain with all possible respect
 Madam & C.

To the Rev. W. Giff. Jones
 at Landowor
 Rev. S^r

London. 14. June. 1739

I am indebted for y^r Letter, of the 5th & 30th
 of last month which I could not well answer till I had
 comply'd wth all y^r Orders in them.

M^r Thowld & I could not pay y^r Bill to M^r Downing
 till the things above mentioned were ship'd w^{ch} I am glad to
 tell you they were last Friday on the Unity Benjamin Howell
 M^r D. & y^r M^r C. W. Thowld & I paid the amount of y^r
 Bille to M^r Downing viz.

M ^r Thowld paid	31. 13. 7 ¹ / ₂
J ^r Newman paid	28. 4. 1

Making L 59. 17. 8¹/₂
 according to the original Rec^d. herewth sent. The Bille you
 desired viz. 5 Boxes for 20. St^{rs}. are also sent but not
 included in y^e sum above because I bought them after M^r
 Downing had made out her account and sign'd the Rec^d.
 we could not be done wth out transcribing the whole, and
 therefore as you have desired I doubt not but M^r Thowld
 will pay me for the Bille.

I have herewth sent M^r Tillard's original Rec^d for
 375. 6. 6. Salters in twelvth at 1. 16. 3 & hund^d. - 6. 15. 11
 to which adding the sum as above ^{paid} ~~paid~~ M^r Downing
 completely the sum of L 35. - -
 which I had in my hands on y^e Acc^t.

M^r. Oliver tells me that Pharmacopœia Caspensis, or the
 Hospital Dispensatory is now reprinting. And that you may
 expect the specimen, of Paper you desired by y^e 1st. Post
 I have

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I have acquainted Mr Thorold with the contents of both
yo^r. Letter, and shall make yo^r. Comptend. Wth D^r. Haly when
I see him. I shall be glad to hear of the establishment of yo^r.
health, and hope ere long to be able to inform you wth. shall be
made publick of Mr's Stephens's Medicine, if that shall be
advisable for you to take. I am

P. S.
I have by this Post sent
several Specimens of Paper sent to
me by Mr. Oliver with the prices
on them.

To the Rev^d. Mr. Giff. Jones
at London

Rev^d. S^r.
Yo^r. most humble Serv^t.
Henry Newman

London. 21. June. 1739.

Rev^d. S^r. My last were 2. packets the 14th. Inst^t.
under Mr. Bevan's Covers, which I hope you rec^d though I
having call'd at his Lodgings to thank him for his favour
find it is return'd long since into the Country & therefore I send
this under cover to him at Carmarthen, I call'd on him &
request you would make my humble Service acceptable to
him for the favour he has shewn to you & me in granting so
many covers at once.

I now send you the Acc^t. of Mr's Stephens's Medi-
-cine as publish'd in the Gazette and reprinted in the
Daily Gazette of this day. I suppose it will be prepar'd
by many Apothecaries in London &c. while the Season is
for collecting the principal ingredients, the Medicine consists of.

If you try it, I heartily wish it may succeed with you. I
find people divided in their opinions about the infallibility
of it. Since Mr. Carteret of the Post Office died of the Stone though he
had long before ^{used} this Medicine, and profess'd ^{he} had found
some relief by it. I am Rev^d. S^r. Y^r.
Mr. Thorold has paid me 20.
for the 5. Boxes of Pills

To Mr. Mole Secy of the E. India
Comp^y.

Bartlet's Buildings
26. June. 1739.

Sir The Society for Promoting Christian Know-
-ledge have order'd me to desire you would present
the Court of Directors with a packet of
the Count of Directors with the Bp of S^t. David's Sermons
herewith sent, together with a copy for yo^r. self of which
their & yo^r. acceptance is requested by

To Mr. Arch Deac. Bennet
at Rochester

Sir Yo^r. most humble Serv^t.

The Bearer Tho. Beale of the Society for Promoting Christian Know-
-ledge waits on you with this to make a few inquiries in the subject I mention'd
at our last meeting, wherein I doubt not of yo^r. obliging him with
intelligence and thereby of Rev^d. S^r.

To Mr Paul Whitchcote Esq.
at Finsdley J^r

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Bartlet's Buildings
6. July. 1739

Though the letters enclosed are
far from being so satisfactory as you might expect
in answer to the enquiries you desir'd me to make
in y^e ^{W. Green being a worthy Clergyman in Derby} ~~Wales~~ ^{by the way} ~~and there fore I have~~
~~sent it to you without delay~~ ^{together with the other letters} and if I have any
better acct^s hereafter they shall be sent to you

By J^r Y^r most humble Serv^t

P.S. I see by these ~~few~~ ^{articles} how good you
must be in accepting the
trouble you do, to serve the indigent, for I find W. Philipps
& W. Cookson have embraced the opportunity of recom=
-mending other objects of Charity than those you
enquir'd after. As W. Milton of Skipton did in a former letter
(sent by you) of recommending himself.

To the Rev^d
Mess^{rs} Bolzius & Gronau
at Ebenezer in Georgia

Bartlet's Buildings
14. July. 1739.

By the
2. Brothers

Capt. Thomson.

My last was 2^d April by the Carolina
Capt. Somerset, said which I have not been able to send
you any letter by reason of the embargo ^{on all outward bound ships} ~~published~~ ^{the 10th Cur^t copy}
of a declaration of War with Spain the 10th Cur^t copy
of which is enclosed and ^{which} the Society will be glad ^{it} may not affect you
as it is partly the pretensions of Spain to Georgia that
has drawn the Govern^t into a War. This will very
much interrupt our ^{for the future} Correspondence and therefore I
doubt not but you will embrace those opportunities
which present of letting the Society know of your
welfare. Just now rec'd the enclosed from W. Liegenhage
who is well with the rest of y^r friends here, and desire
may be assur'd that I am always

P.S.

Your letters above mentioned desiring another
transport of Saltzburghers or other Protestants from
Germany have been for sometime under the consideration of the Trustees for Georgia but I have
hesitated yet for encouraging y^e ^{another} transport as things are now circumstanced

To His Excell.^{cy} Gen^l. Oglethorpe
at Savannah in Georgia.

London. 14. July. 1739

(8)

By the Two
Brothers
Capt. Thomson.
Sir Capt. Thomson having obtain'd a Protection, for
the interest of the Trustees to proceed to Georgia notwithstanding
the Embargo, I embrace the opportunity to Salute your
Excellency with my best Wishes, for the Success of your
Administration in this critical juncture, when our Count
have been oblig'd, as you will find by the Prints sent in
this Ship to declare War with Spain the 10th Inst. w^{ch}
has occasion'd for the present no small ferment in this
City, but Mess^{rs}. Bolzius & Gronov with the honest
Saltzburger, under y^r. Govern^t. being under no apprehen-
sions of danger while you protect them, have desir'd ano-
ther Transport of their Brethren or other German Protes-
tants may be sent over to Ebenezer in which the
Society have taken no Step nor can do as things are
circumstanced especially till they are inform'd of the
inclination of the Trustees to favour them with their Passage
and other encouragement formerly allow'd to their Brethren.
I doubt not of seeing the colonies of Georgia
settled on a better foot for the future by y^r. wise
conduct, wherein all y^r. friends live with happy
success, but none more than

I^r. Y^r. Excell.^{cy}

most obed.^t. Humble Serv^t.



